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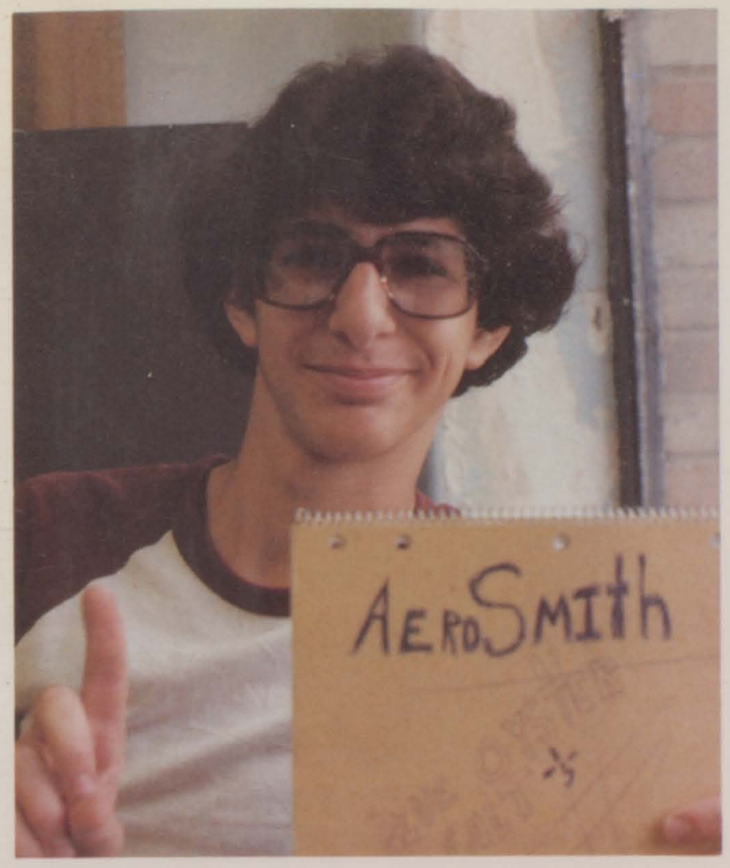

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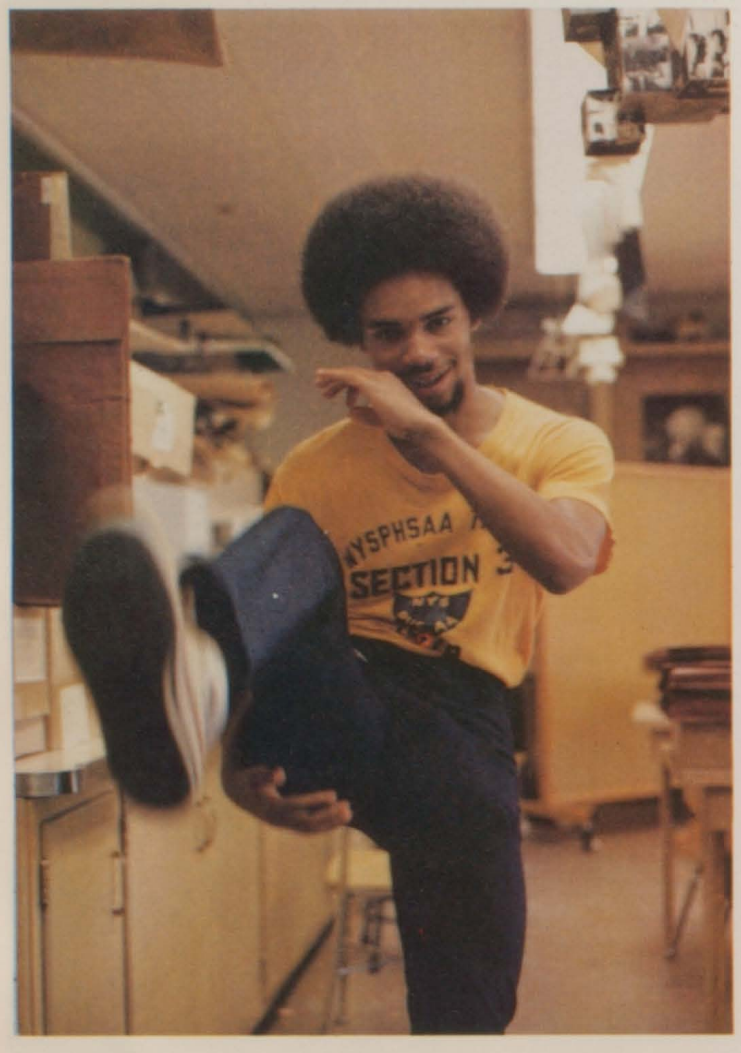

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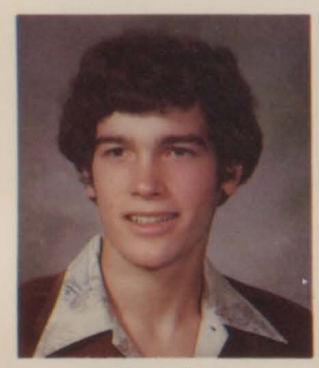
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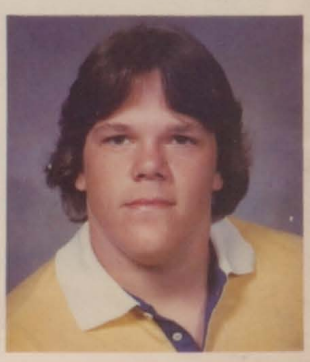
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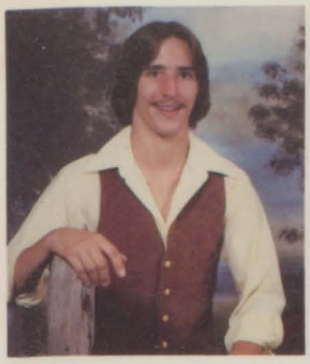
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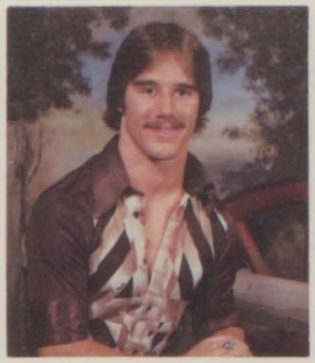
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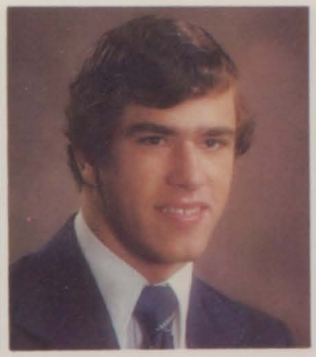
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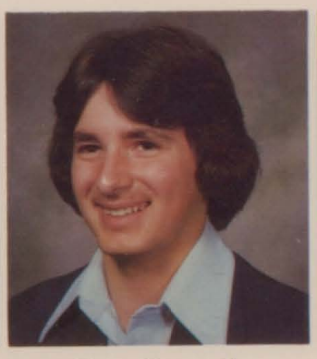
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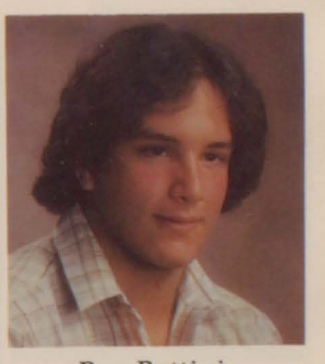
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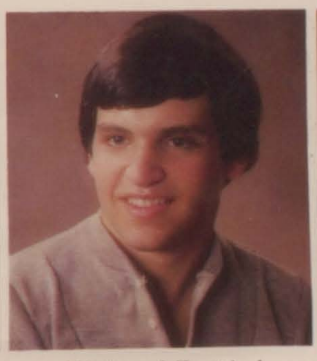
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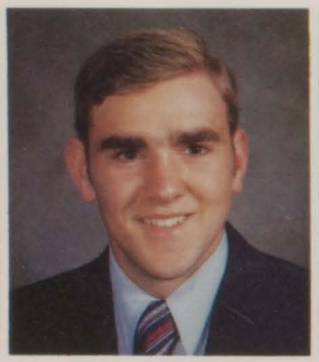

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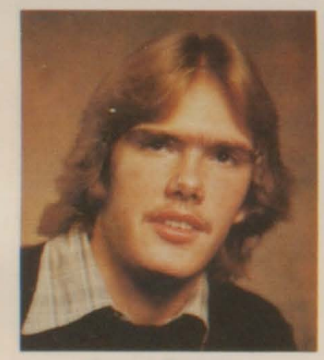

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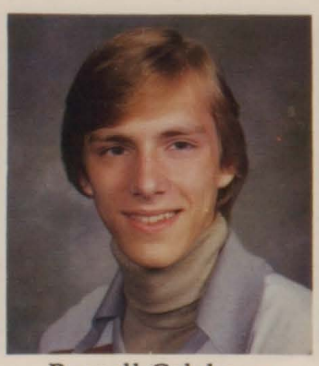

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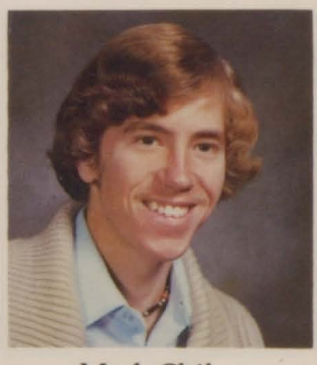
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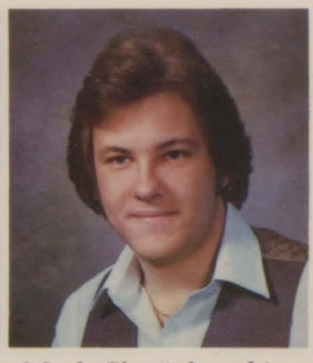
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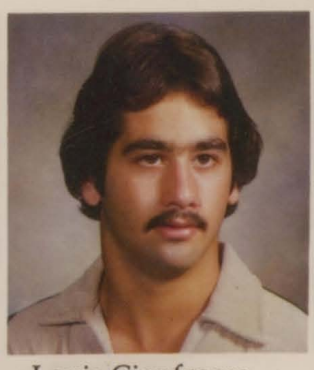
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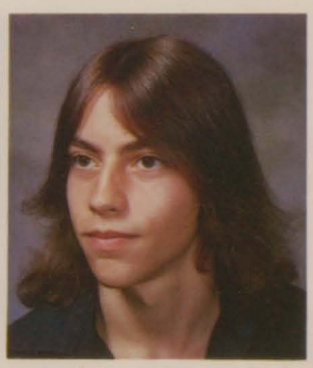
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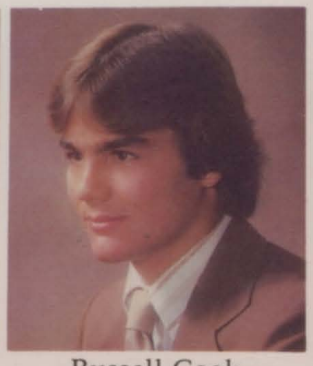
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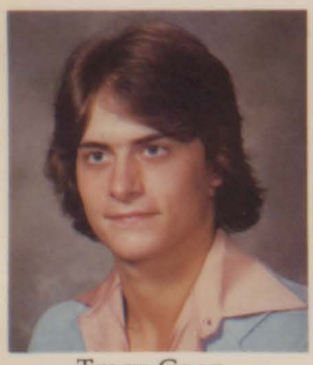
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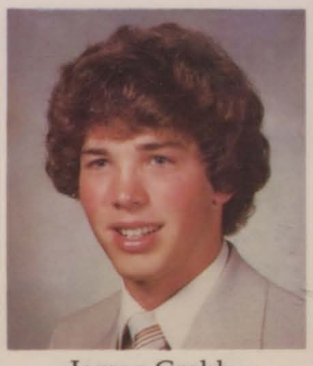
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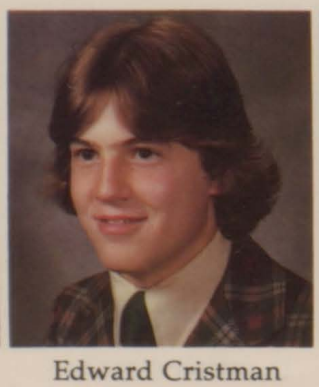
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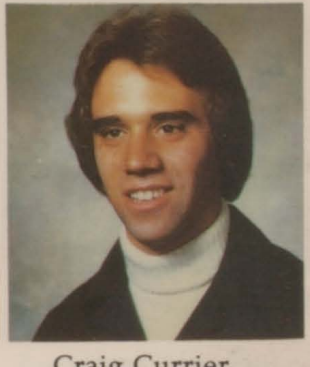
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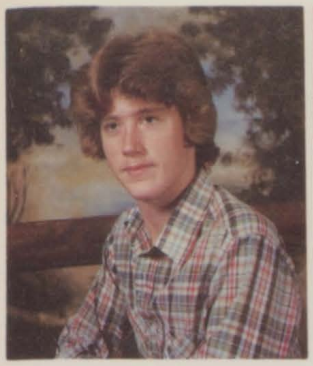
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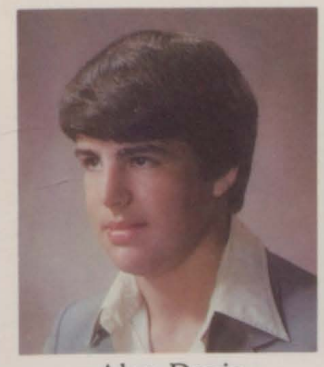
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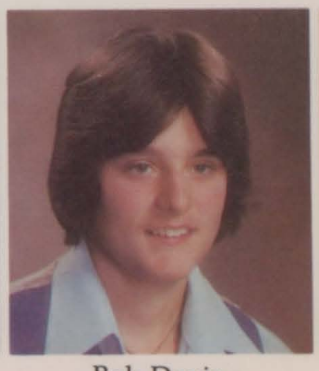
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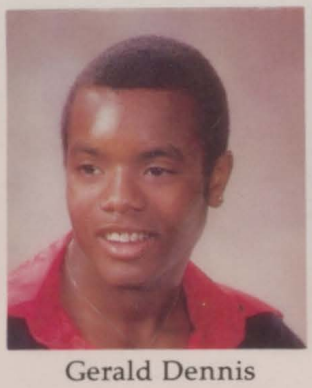
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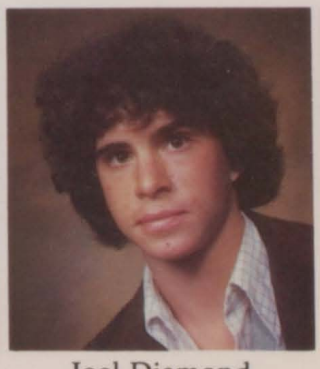
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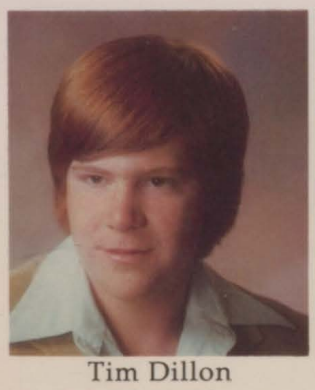
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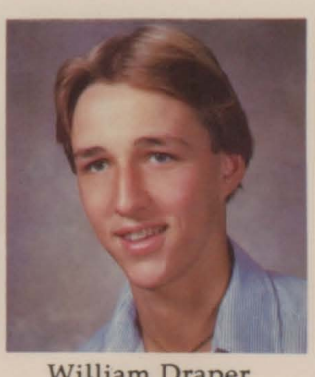
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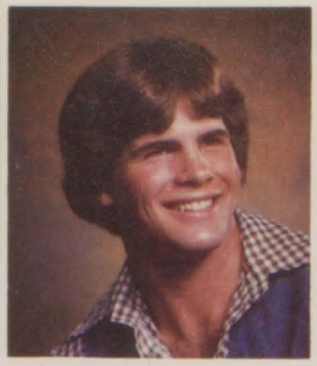
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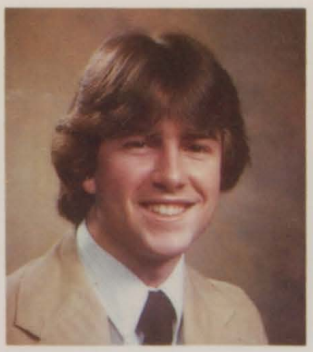
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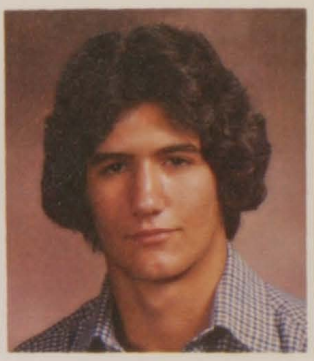
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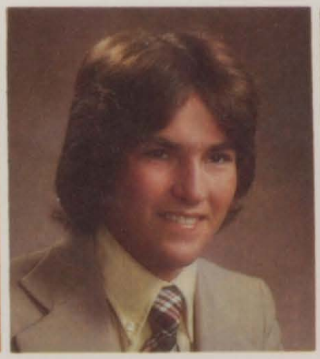
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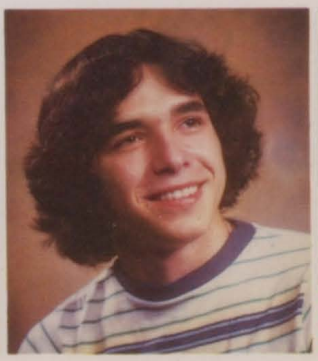
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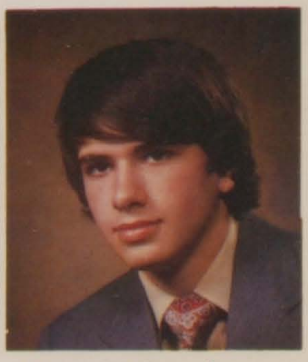
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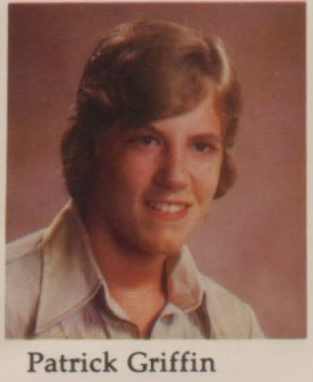
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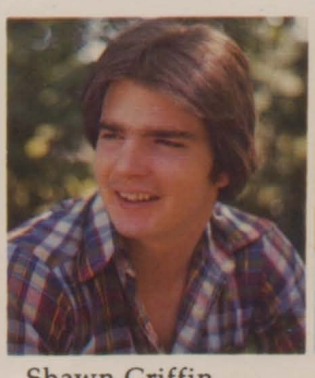
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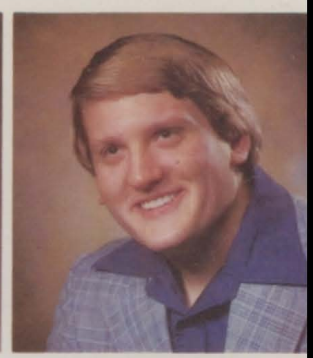

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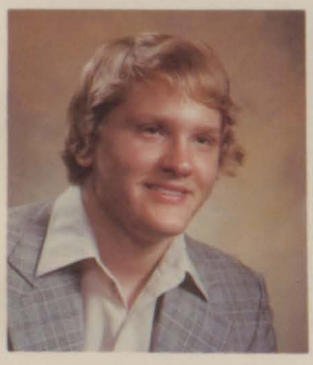

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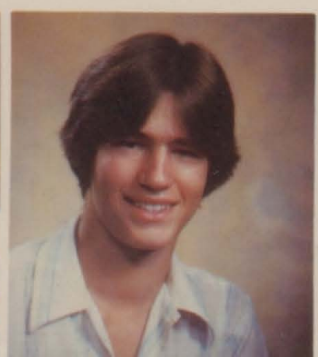

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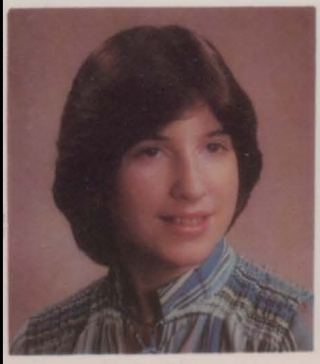

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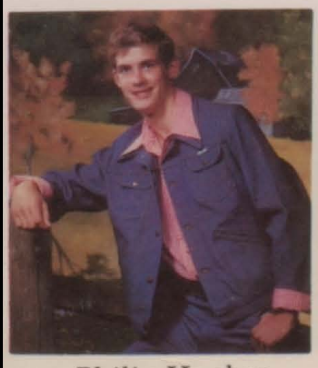

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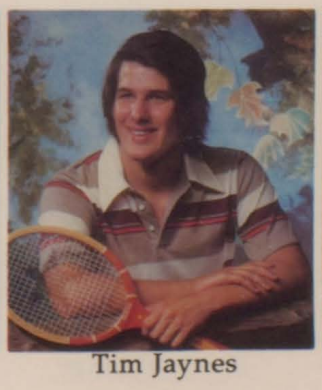

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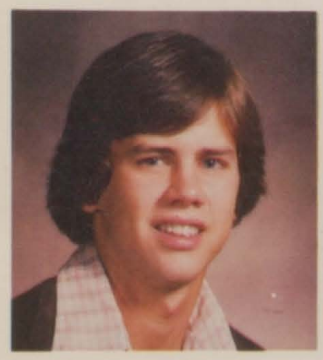
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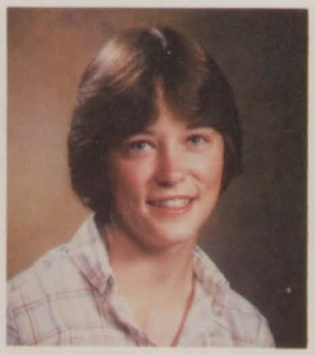
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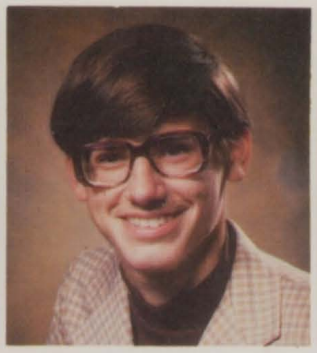
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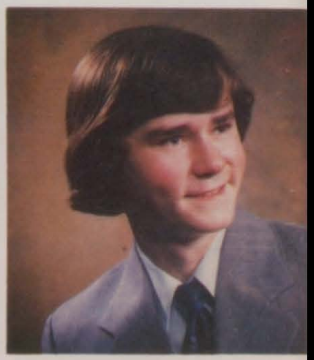
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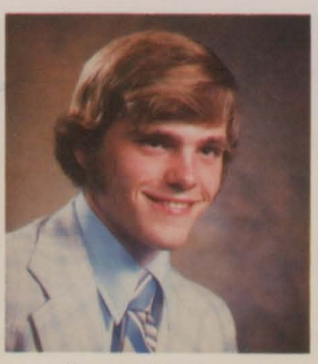
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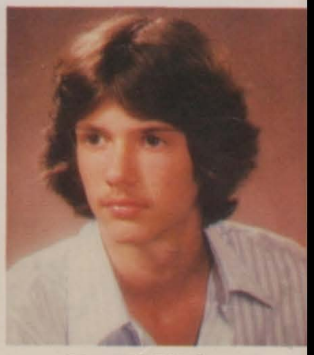
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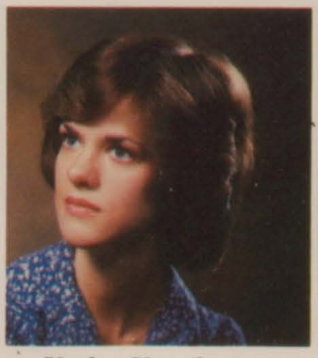
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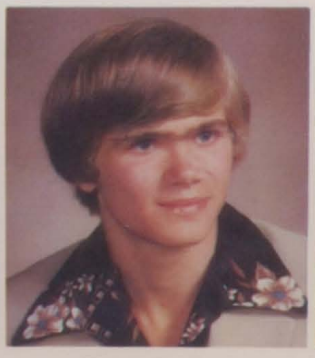

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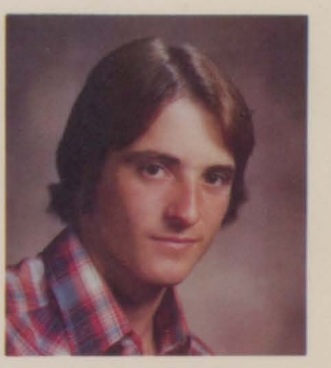

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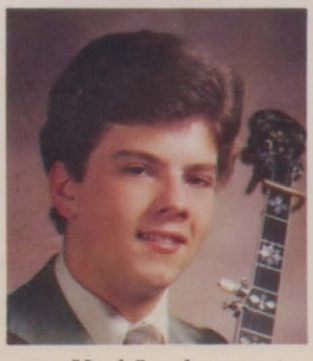

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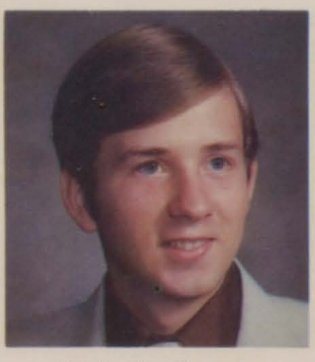

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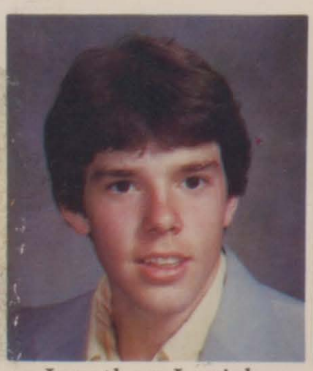

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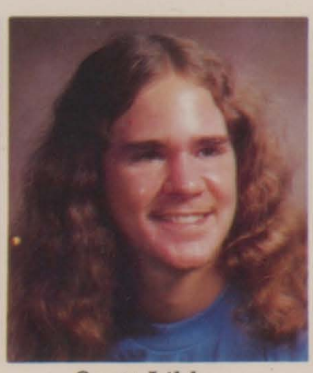

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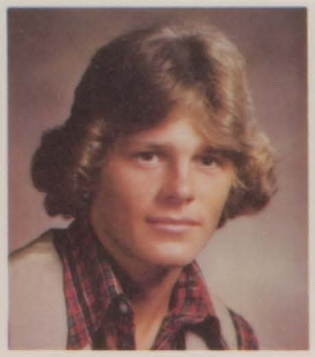

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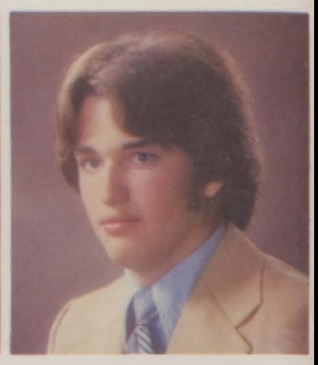

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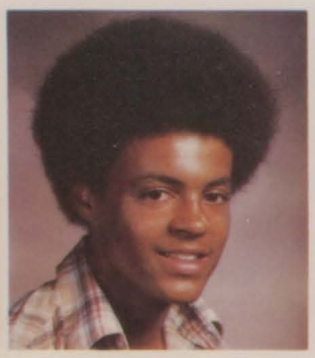

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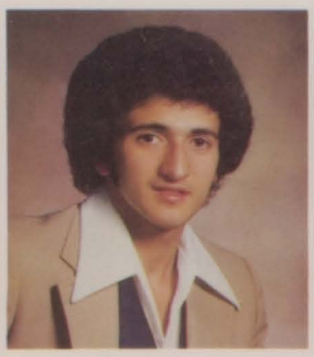

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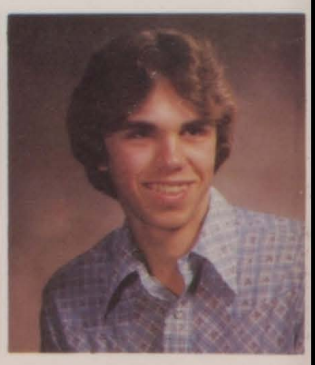

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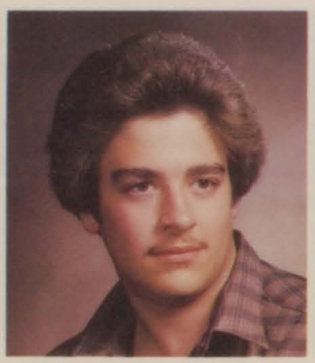

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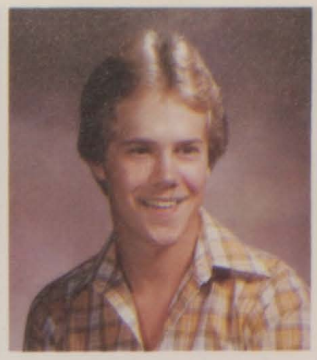

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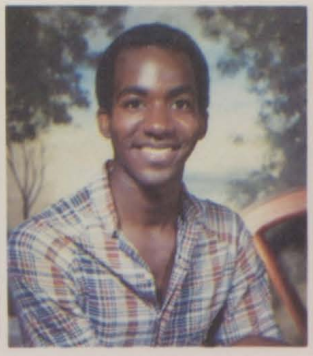

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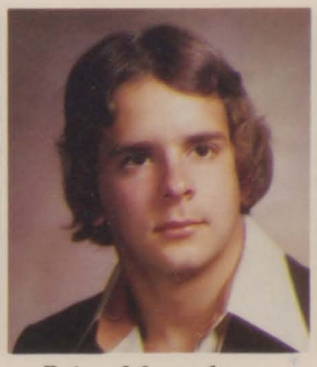

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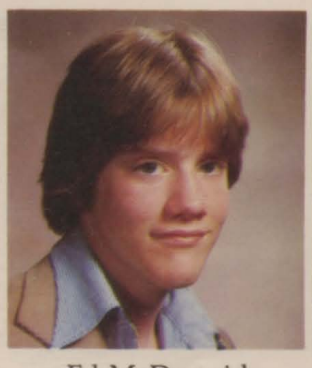

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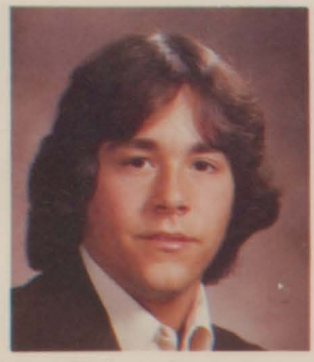

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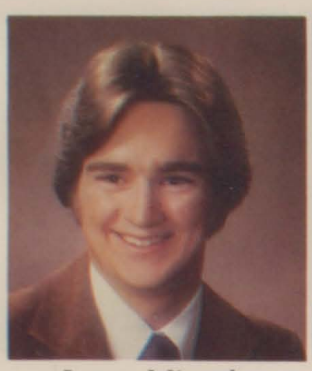

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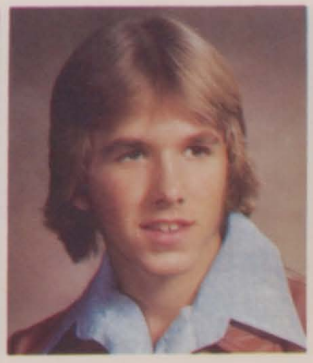

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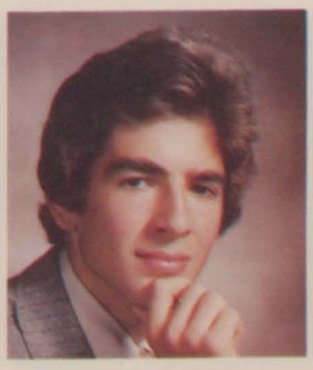

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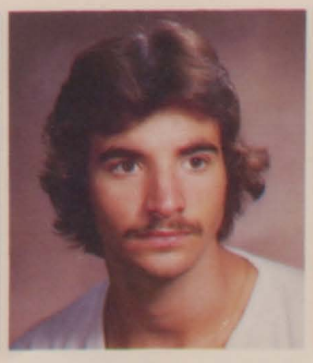

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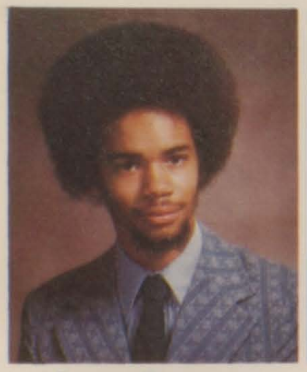
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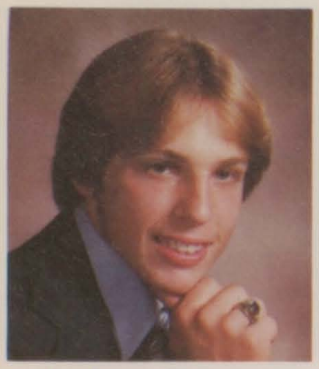
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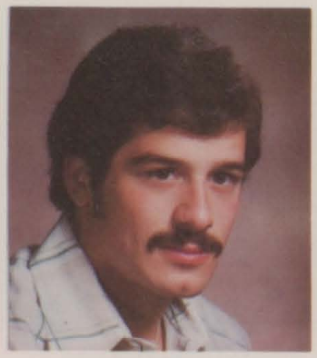
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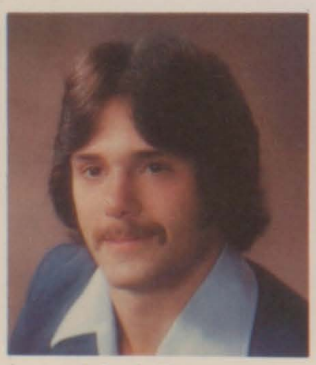
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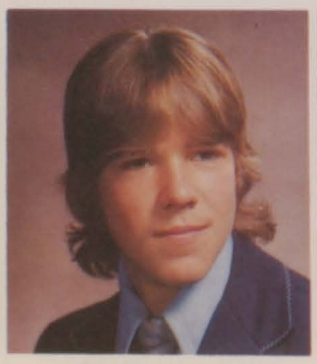
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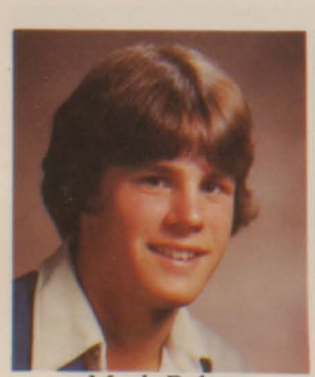
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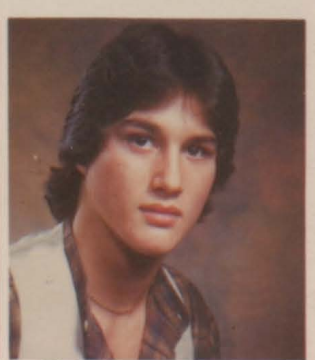
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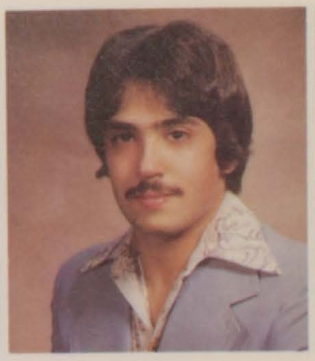
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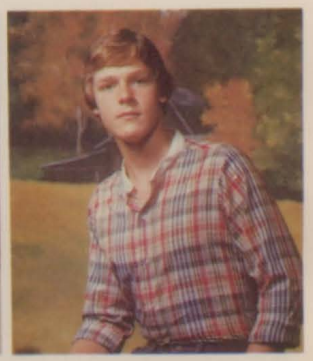
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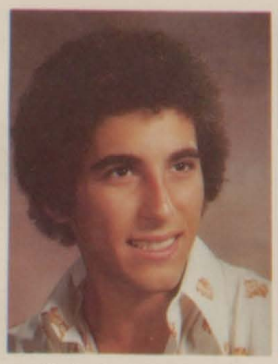

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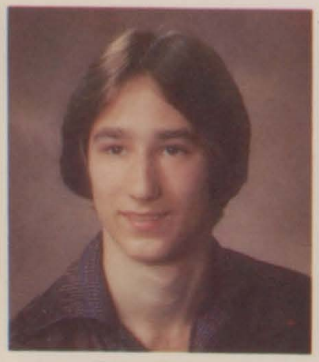

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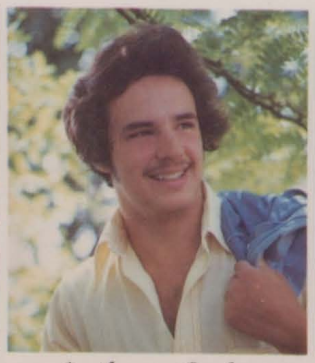

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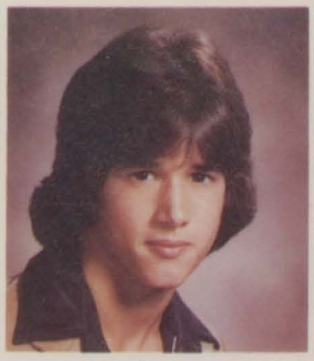
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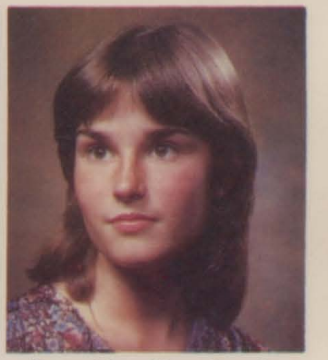
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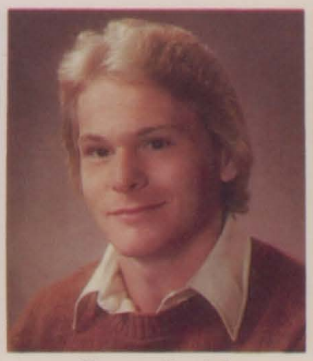
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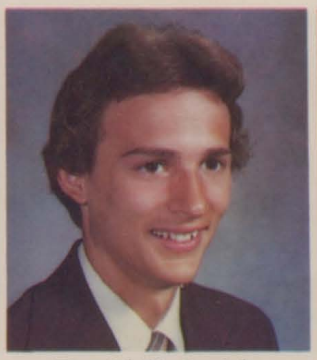
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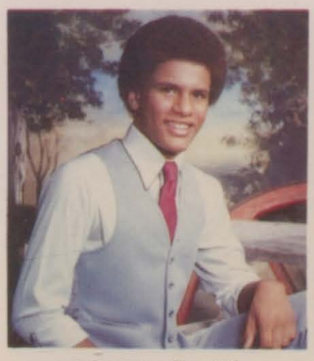
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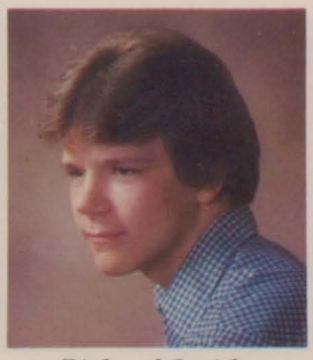
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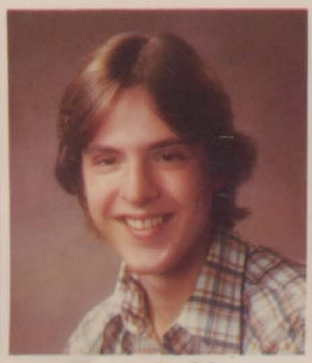
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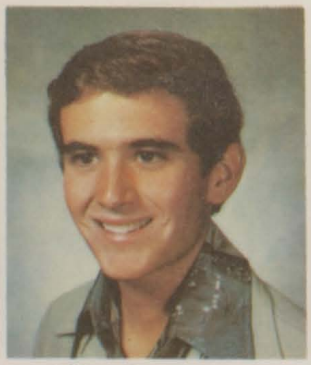
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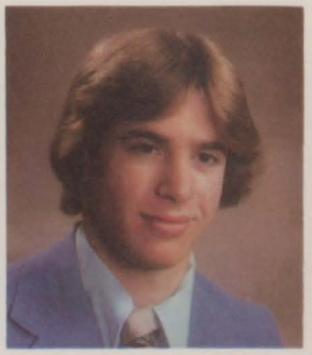
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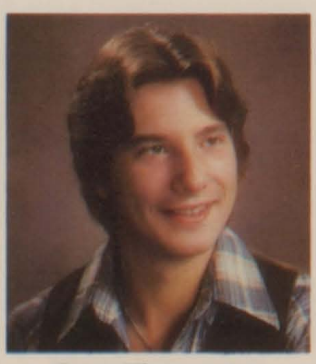
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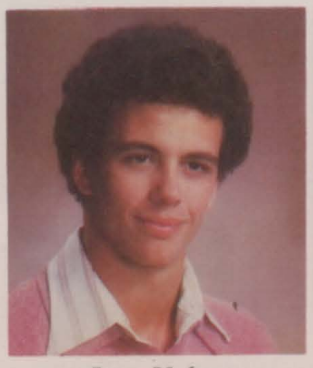
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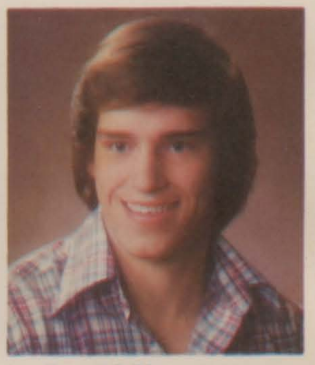
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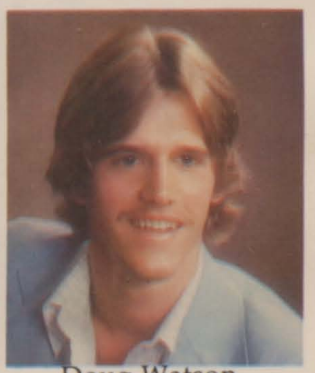
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Bruce Wegter

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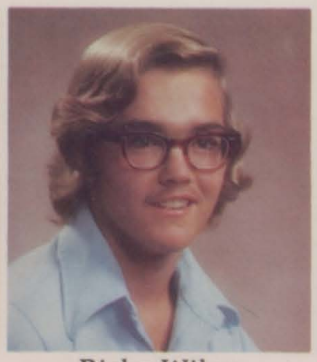
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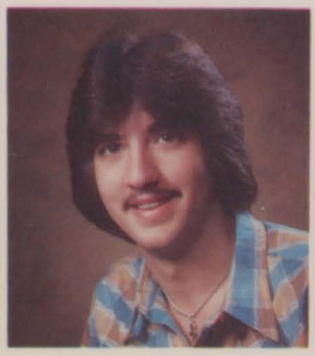
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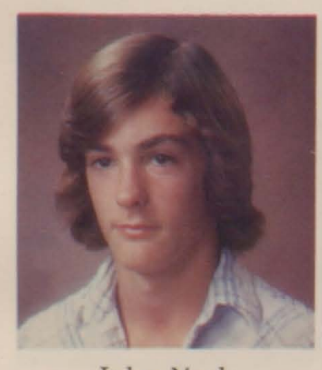
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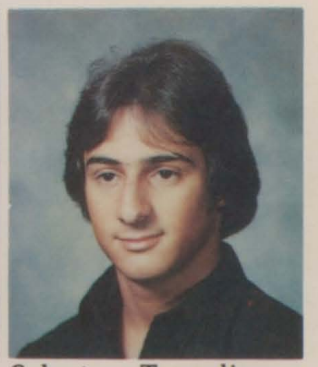

Salvatore Tuzzolino

Other Graduating Seniors

Paul Agoitia
Jerry Antonnucci
Chris Arena
Brad Barber
Daniel Berry
Joseph Brockway
Mark Brown
Thomas Brown
Alan Capps
Suzanne Carletta
Betty Carpenter
Tim Carpenter
David Champlin
Anthony Cignarale
Jeannine Coniglio
Karen Colton
James Crabb
Carol Craig
Liane D'Aiuto
Daniel Davis
Andy DeCarolis
Todd Dematteo
Harold Dukett

Lawrence Fahey
Greg Gemedschiew
Steven Guglielmo
Darrin Hatfield
Brian Howard
Peter Janzen
Michael King
Patricia Krumbach
Barbara Lagasse
Grace Lagasse
Kevin Lagasse
Daniel Lambert
Ronald Lasalle
Suzette Lavoie
Edward Lewis
Craig Loson
Ricky Marcellus
Doug Matt
Jean Meeker
Michael Melioris
Charles Monjak
Scott Morecroft
Mary Ann Munney

Nancy Norelli
Lisa Palermiti
Annette Parker
Lynette Parker
Debbie Parry
Dennis Perfetti
Jon Richie
Penny Salmon
Albert Salter
Anthony Salvaggio
Bernie Saverman
Ronald Schekman
Doug Sidway
Diane Smith
Mary Tracy
Mark Trifeletti
Edward Uhl
Edward Weeks
Steve Wilson
Ted Worlock
Laurie York
Michael Zawisza

1 Andy Fenton . . . . . Now I know what it's like to be a teacher.
2 Thomas Parry . . . . . I do believe I am going to be nauseous.
3 David Gamboni . . . . . Do we have a proposition for you!
4 Jack Sykes . . . . Monday Morning Blues.

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1 Leanna Lawter, Mary Anne Newnan . . . . . Newmy, I wanna go home!
2 Ed Belden . . . . . Homework?! Who does Homework?
3 Organized Confusion
4 Lori Biondi . . . . . If it gets any hotter, will it erupt?
5 Mark Gualteri . . . . . C'mon **girls, single file.**

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1 Shhhhh! Here he comes!
2 Bill Moonan to John Costello: What's she talking about?

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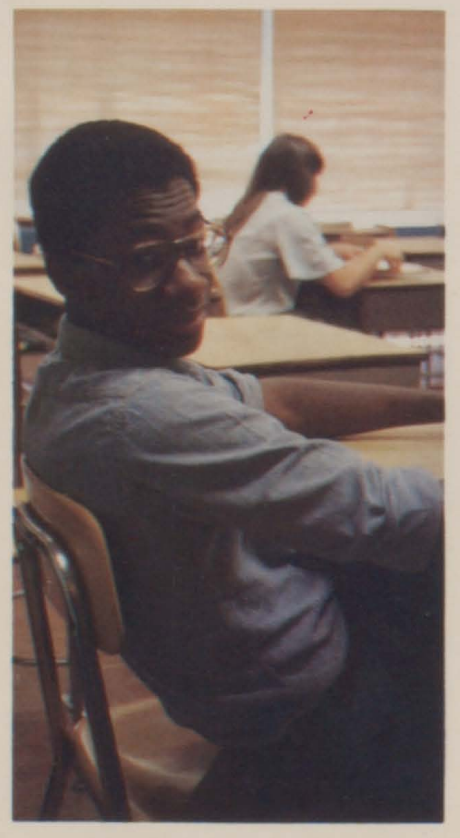

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3 Joann Korzenski to Karen Coluccio: Hey I'm psyched — my prints came out great . . . THANK YOU!
4 David Washington . . . I'm really into this.
5 A double band period — and it's *not* raining!

Student Association Politicians

Tracey Vandeveer, President

Each year the Student Association tries to better advise and organize student activities. This year our goal was to encourage school spirit and involvement. In order to create this atmosphere, we established a time in which clubs and organizations could meet regularly. The Wednesday morning activity periods have aided in increasing attendance and enthusiasm.

STASS has worked co-operatively with the various organizations in order to help them achieve their individual goals. Much of this involvement was a result of the two major events of the year, the Homecoming and Winter Weekends.

We, the officers of the 1979-80 Student Association, would like to thank all the students who participated in the various events this year, Mr. Valeri for his co-operation, and a special thanks to Mr. Dean Woodard for all his time and help. Through the past years, STASS has gradually succeeded in bringing back the real responsibilities of Student Government. We would like to wish the future STASS officers luck in fulfilling these responsibilities.

Jennifer Skogland, Vice-president

Lori Biondi, Secretary

Michele Totaro, Treasurer

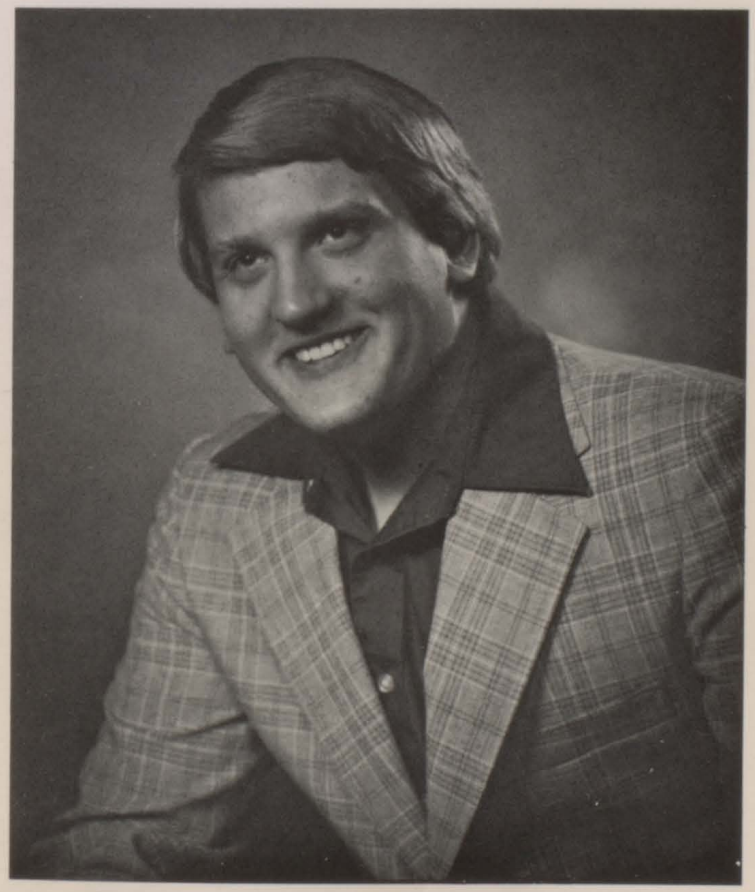
Dedication

Although JoAnn Ferlo was with us only a short time, she will always be remembered with great respect by those of us who knew her. In the few years she was with us, she accomplished so much and touched many people with her thoughtfulness and good nature. Her thoughtfulness toward others, along with her good humor, understanding, and cheerful smile, made her a true friend. When we lose someone at a young age, we feel that we have not had the chance to share enough of life's experiences with that person. JoAnn may be gone, but memories of her will live forever in us. We, the class of 1980, wish to dedicate this year's De-O-Wain-Sta to JoAnn Ferlo.

Valedictorian

Having attained an average of 98.28, Marijill Nicholson is the Valedictorian of the Class of 1980. Marijill is a member of the Key Club, Block R, Honor Society, President of Colgate Seminar, and Secretary of the Senior Class. She is an avid participant in sports such as field hockey, basketball, volleyball, and was an All-American softball player as a freshman. Out-of-school activities include working as a Candy Striper and enjoying recreational pastimes, such as skiing.

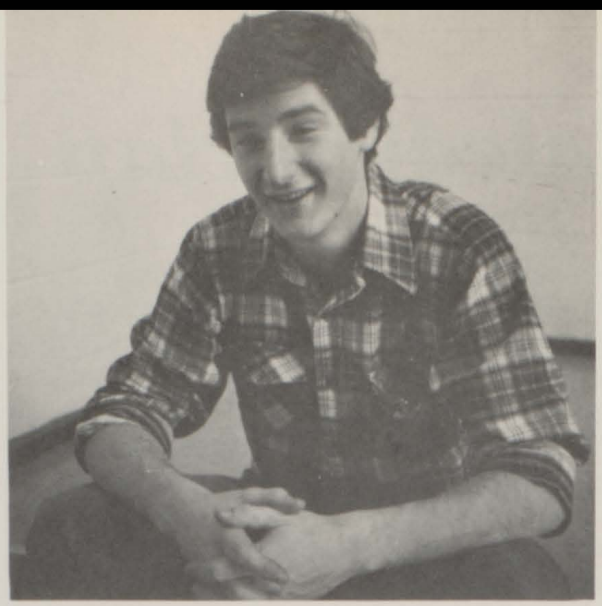
Marijill received the DAR Citizenship Award in ninth grade, the Outstanding School Citizen Award from the Optimist Club, a Letter of Commendation on the National Merit Qualifying Test, and the Renselaer Polytechnic Institute Medal for Achievement in Math and Science as a junior. She's been accepted at Albany School of Pharmacy and St. Bonaventure.



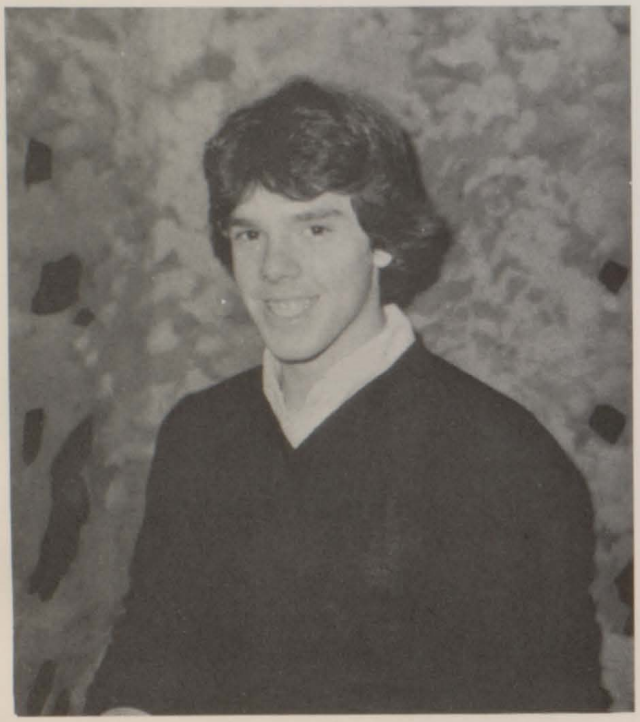
Salutatorian

Joseph Gwara Jr. is the Salutatorian of the Class of 1980 having achieved an average of 98.1. He is a member of Honor Society, Media Club, and Colgate Seminar. Joseph's musical activities include playing the viola in the Orchestra and participating in tbe school musicals, "Pajama Game" and "Guys and Dolls". Out of school, Joe has held several part-time jobs, such as working at Friendly Ice Cream. He has won a Regents Scholarship and Plans to study math at Georgetown University.

Senior Class Politicians



Andy Fenton, President



Jon Levick, Vice-president

To the Class of "1980"

As we move into a new decade and leave an old behind, we shall encounter a whole new life and challenges to accompany it. We, the Senior Class Officers, would like to thank everyone who supported and participated in class activities. Such events included carwashes, flower sales, and our Senior Play, "The Drunkard". A special thanks to our advisor, Mr. Kunkel.

We also hope everyone enjoyed the highlight of the year — the Senior Ball at Alfredo's. Good luck and best wishes to all in the future.

Tricia May, Secretary

Marijill Nicholson, Treasurer

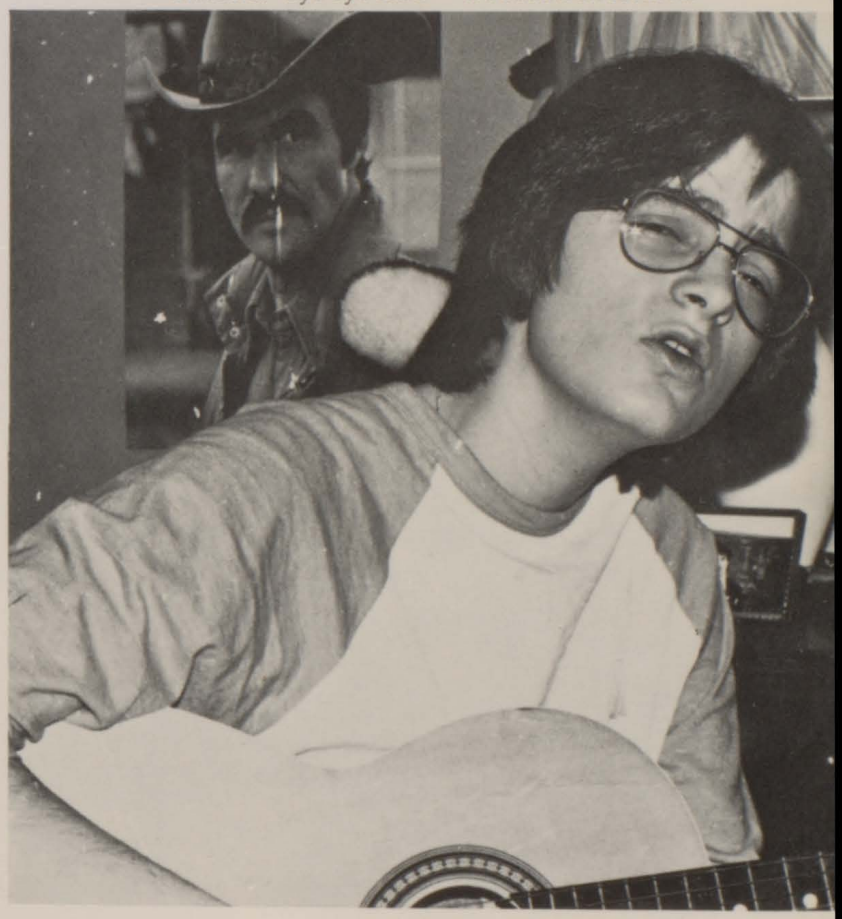
The new look.

Freebird: "Bye bye babe — it's been a sweet love.

SENIOR DIRECTORY

There is music in all of us.

HOWDY!



Conspiracy.

ADAIR, MARY "Airy" "Mars" "Smiles" JV Field Hockey, Key Club, International Club, President of "C" Club, Powder Puff Basketball '78

AGANS, TAMARA "Tammy" "Grizzly" "Aggie" Key Club, Powder Puff Football, V Softball, V Basketball, Tennis, A. G.'s

AIELLO, JOHN J. "Johnny-Baby"

AIELLO, LISA "Aliass" "2 ¢" JV Volleyball, JV Field Hockey, JV Basketball, Track, Key Club, Sophomore Class Secretary, Powder Puff Football '77 '78

AIELLO, RICHARD "The Wop" "Bear" Pep Club, Interact Club, Knight Times

ALDER, DANIEL "Harley" "Hubes" Honor Society, Amateur Radio

ALDER, EVELYN "Evi" "Dumb or What" Drama Club, "Come Blow Your Horn", Choir, Junior Achievement, "Bye Bye Birdie"

ALESSI, DARYL "Steril" "Derelict" JV and V Lacrosse, V Soccer, Block R, Key Club

Please?

Ah, fresh air.

HAM IT UP.

ALLAN, CYNTHIA "Cindy" "Cin" Tangent

AQUINO, REGINA "Gina" Stage Crew, Tangent

AVANTINI, DARA "Dee" "Daratini" "Hot Pants Avantini" "Shaggy DA" Cheerleading, "Bye Bye Birdie", Powder Puff Football, Secretary of "C" Club

BADOLATO, SHERYL "Earl" "B.B." "B's" "Boo-Boo", "Magilla" Key Club — Pres., V Tennis, Block R, Powder Puff Football '77- '79, Ex-A.G.'s, Powder Puff Basketball, Talent Show

BAMBURY, LAURA "Bambi"

BARBATO, KAREN "Granny"

BARNARD, AUDREY "Aud" "Short Stop"

BARONE, LAURIE "Laur" "B"

BARTLETT, MARK "The Gambler" Hockey, Powder Puff Football Cheerleader

BARTLETT, MIKE "Chubby" Lacrosse, Key Club, Powder Puff Football

BATH, MICHAEL "Mike and Scott" V Swim Team, Block R

BERRY, DAN V Bowling

BERTRAND, RON "Bert" Key Club, Block R, JV & V Football, JV & V Hockey, JV & V Baseball

BIAMONTE, JON "J.B." Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Key Club, JV Soccer, V. Tennis

BIELBY, JAMES "Sieve" V Hockey, Block R

BIONDI, LORI "Bi" "Lori Bi" '77-'79 JV Cheerleading, '79 V Cheerleading, '78-'79 V Golf, '79-'80 Student Association Secretary, Powder Puff Football, Block R, Key Club, FMDC

BIRD, TRACEY "Trac" "Slick"

BLANCHARD, BRENDA "Fay Blanchard" "Blanch"

BOLDEN, LINSEY "Lenny"

BOLTE, JERRY "Big Bolt" Football

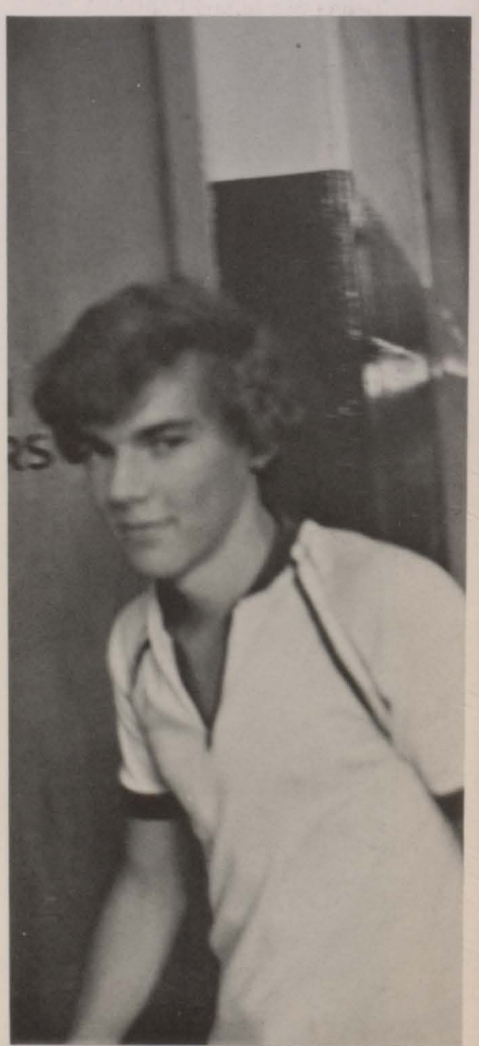
BONCELLA, TOM "Bonz"

BOTTINI, BENNY "Bo" Block R, Key Club, JV & V Football, JV Basketball

BOTTINI, GINA "Gina Bo" "Bu Bu" JV & V Cheerleading, Key Club, STASS, Talent Show '79, Powder Puff Football & Basketball FMDC

BOTTINI, RICHARD "Dick" "Richie Bo"

Wouldn't you like to know!



It can't be snowing!

BOYLSTON, GLENN "G.B." "Boyle" JV & V Lacrosse, JV Hockey, Block R, Key Club

BRAVO, PETE "Space" SP Club

BRETON, ROBERT "Bob" "Canuk" "Bun" "Clint" "A.J." AFS, Ski Club, V Indoor Track, Spring Track, JV Football

BRIGGS, CECELIA "Ceil" Baton Majorettes

BRIGGS, CYNTHIA L. "Cheeks" AFS, Senior Play, Orchestra

BRINKMAN, SUSAN "Suz" "Z-Tip" "Suzzy" "Suzy-Q" space Cadets, Talent Show — Pointer Sister, Powder Puff Football, Track '78, Key Club, Class Float, Water Polo Team

BROOKS, RANDALL Chess Club, Science Club

BROWN, MARK Knight Times, Senior Play, Musical '79, Colgate Seminar, Debate Club

BROWN, THOMAS "Roster" Football, Track

BUDELMAN, DEBORAH "Bubbles" "Debby" Drama Club, AFS, Musical '79, Domestic Exchange Student to Minnesota, In Minn.: Spanish Club, One-Act Play, Homecoming Float and Skit, Choir, Senior Play, Debate and Speech Club

BUNN, STEPHEN "Bunns" "Bunny-owski" "Bun" V Basketball Manager

BURKE, SANDRA "Burkie" Block R, JV & V Softball, Powder Puff Football, JV & V Volleyball, and Basketball, Water Polo Team

CADRETTE, KIM "Kim Banana" "Dimo" "Kimmy" "Banana" Drama Club, Pep Club, Class Floats. Space Cadet, Powder Puff Football '78 '79, International Club, WCSC Secretary, V Gymnastics

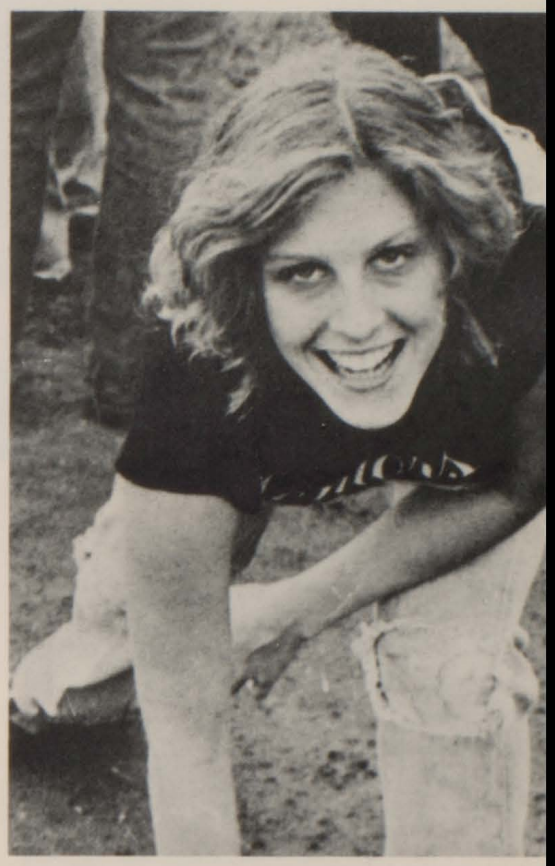
CAIFA, THERESA A. "Tree" "Ta Ta"

CAMACHO, ELIZABETH JEAN "Liz" Knight Times, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Sr. Play, Pep Club

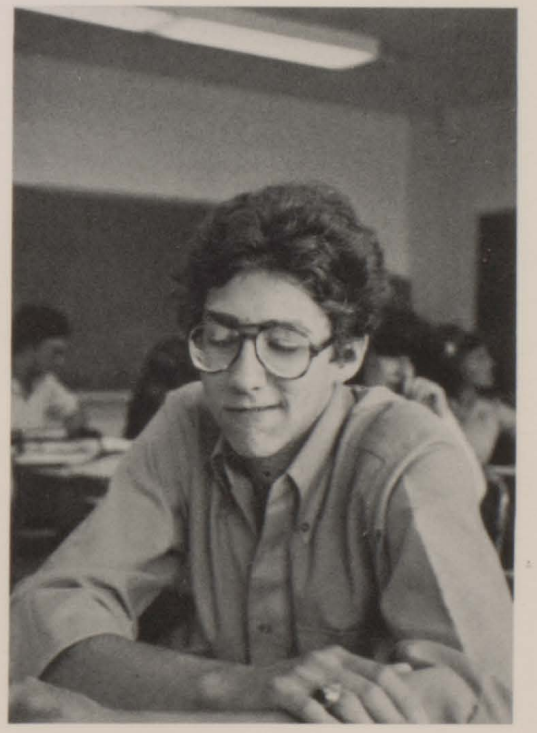
CAPPONI, LAURIE Colgate Seminar, Honor Society Orchestra, "Bye Bye Birdie", "Pajama Game", International Club, Knight Times, Sr. Play

CAPPONI, MARK "Scubby" Football, Baseball, Indoor Track, Spring Track, Wrestling, Basketball, Key Club

CARDONA, LISA V Bowling, Archery, International Club, Concert Band, Marching Band, Pep Band, JV Softball, Ski Club, STASS



Joe Nameth — Eat your heart out!



I *KNOW* that already.

CARLETTA, ALFRED Sr. Play, Public Relations

CARLETTA, SUZANNE "Suzy-Q" "Crazy" "Fuzzy" Pep Club

CARON, ANGELA "Angie" Interact Club, PIT'S"

CARR, DEEDREA "DeeDee"

CARTER, SAUNDRA A. "Sandy" Softball

CAVANAUGH, CHRISTINE ANN "Tina" V Gymnastics, V Swimming, V Track, Block R, Ski Club, Choir

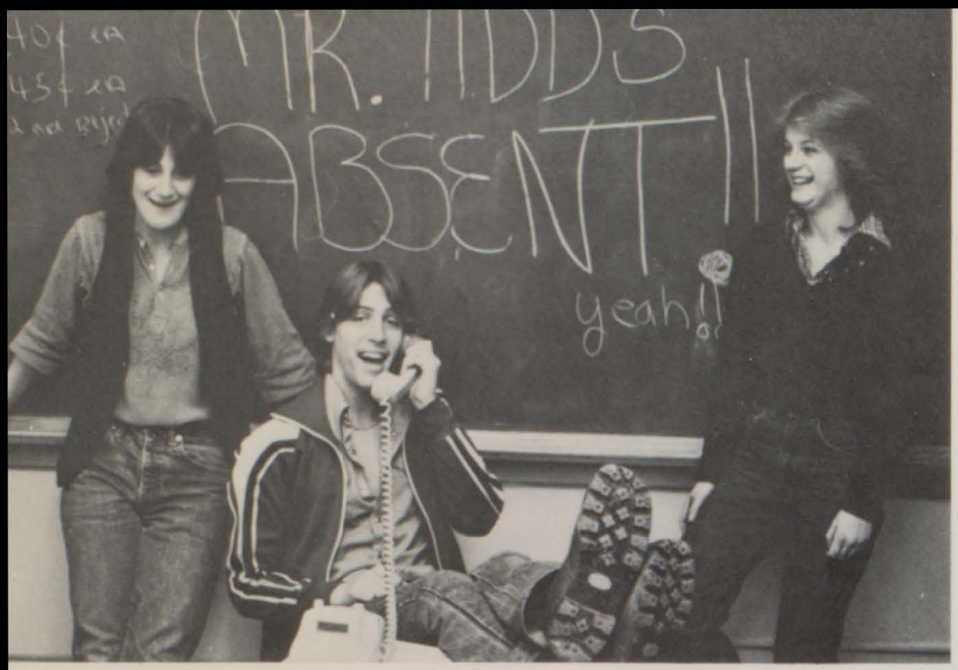
CHAMPLIN, DAVID "Dave"

CHAPMAN, DIANE JV and V Cheerleading, V Track, V Archery '79 '80, De-O-Wain-Sta, Who's Who Among American High School Students, International Club, Powder Puff Football '79

CHERRY, DENISE "Olive" "Denny" "Squirley" "Frac" Pep Club, Interact Club

CHILES, MARK "Budo" Baseball, Guitar

CHMIELEWSKI, MARK "Chmo"



3 large pizzas — the name's Tidd!

Us pose? Never!

Sure, I'll run for congress.

CHRISTY, SHARON L. "Cheri" "Sherry Space" Pep Club, Block R, Honor Society, Cross Country, Indoor Track, Outdoor Track, Amateur Radio Club, Powder Puff Football, Majorettes, Junior Achievement, Homeroom Representative

CHRYSLER, RICHARD "Rick" "Ace" B.S.I., International Club, Media Club, Drama Club, Science Club, Senior Play

CIHOCKI, CATHLEEN A. "Cathy" Marching Band, Concert Band

CIMO, MARC "Cimo" "Hey You"

CLANCY, PATTI "Trisha" "Trishish" Block R, International Club — Pres., Treas., Pep Club, Band, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, STASS, JV Volleyball, V Archery, Powder Puff Football, Sophomore Float, Principal's Advisory Committee, Davis Essay Contest, De-O-Wain-Sta, Joe Law Club, Espana '79, Recipient of D.A.R. Award

CLARK, DIANE Block R, V Bowling

CLARK, LYNDA E. "Kitty" Ski Club, Honor Society

CLARK, TIM "T" Rock-n-Roll, Total Insanity

CLARK, VELDA Field Hockey, Track, International Club, Block R

CLOSINSKI, TAMMY Talent Show '78, '79, '80

COCERHAM, MICHAEL "Squirt" JV and V Swimming, Block R, Science Club, Who's Who Among American High School Students

COLANGELO, SANDY "Sandra" "Sandy Baby" "Sangelo" Key Club

COLLINS, DEBORAH J. "Debbie"

COLUCCI, TERESA A. "T.C." Colgate Seminar, Honor Society, Block R, Key Club, Ski Club, V. Tennis, JV and V Softball, JV and V Volleyball, JV and V Basketball

COMBS, LORI L. Drama Club, International Club, "Bye Bye Birdie", "The Drunkard", Espana '79, Choir, Junior Achievement

COMBS, VAUGHN T. "Beldar, Conehead" Amateur Radio, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble

COOK, RUSSELL THALMAN "Russ" JV and V Football, JV and V Lacrosse, Block R, International Club, Key Club, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Senior Float

CORTESE, DAVID "Dave" Tennis, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Honor Society

COUGHLIN, PATRICIA Spring Track, Indoor Track, Block R, Colgate Seminar, Honor Society

COULSON, WENDY JO Concert Band, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Junior Achievement, Drama Club Debate Club, Speech Club, Student Council, Track, Band Trip Committee Officer

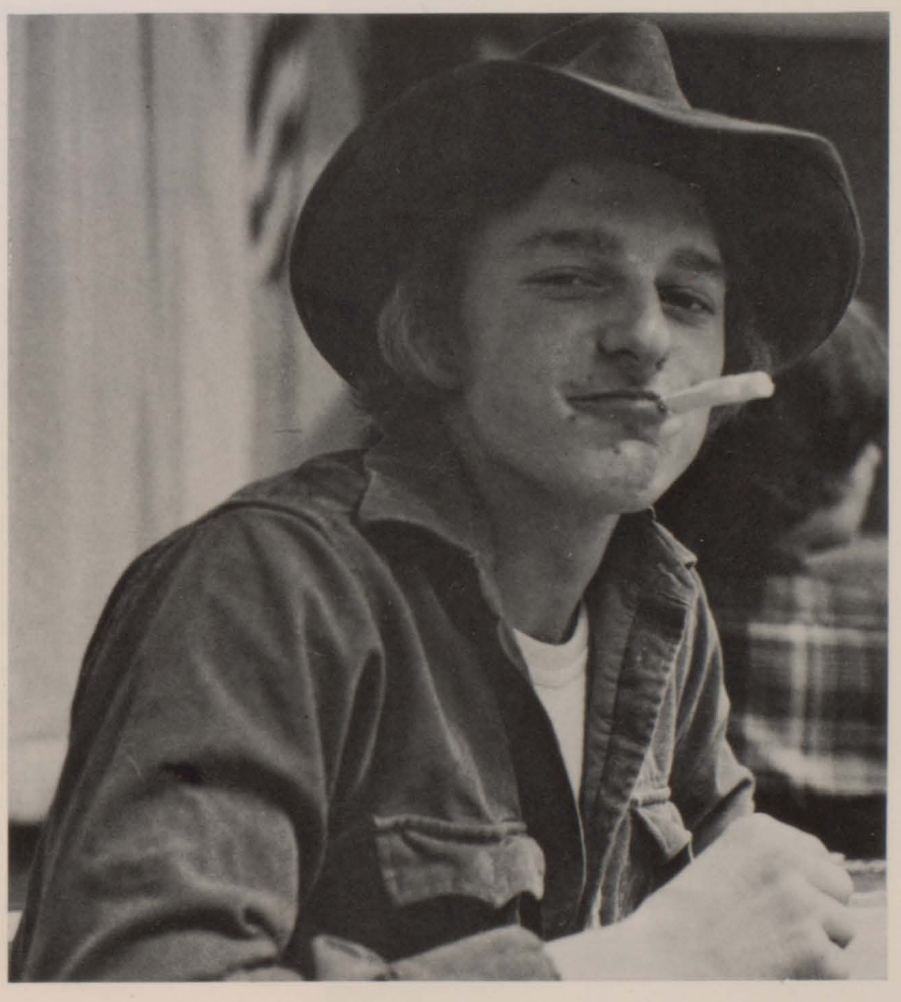
CRAIG, CAROL "Fleetwood"

CHRISTMAN, EDWARD "Eddie Money" Soccer

CUSHMAN, JIM "Bo" "Bushman" "Cush" Skiing

CZERSKI, KAREN "Zersk" Skiing
DANIELLO, MICHELLE "Shelly"
DAVIS, ALLEN "Al", "Deeve" Swimming, Wind Ensemble, "Bye Bye Birdie" Honor Society, Marching Band, Science Club, Stage Band
DAVIS, LEE S. "Killer" "Crowbar" "Davis" Knight Times
DECKER, CAROL "Digger" Key Club
DELANEY, MARY "Mare"
DIAMOND, JOEL "Yoel"
JV Soccer, JV Swimming, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Talent Show '78 '79 Key Club
DICKINSON, LISA "Lee" Honor Society, De-O-Wain-Sta Editor, Vice-Pres. Pep Club, "The Drunkard", WMFC PRES.
DIGIOVANNI, MIKE "Dee Gee"
DILLON, TIM "Dill Brunch, Bob" Soccer
DOLAN, COLLEEN "W.B." JV Softball, Powder Puff Football, Marching Band
DOLAN, KELLY A. "Bonas" B.S.I., V Swimming, V Tennis, Block R, Col All-Star Tennis
DOMBROWSKI, DONNA JEAN Archery, International Club
DONOVAN, MARY L. "Louie" "Mia" A Capella Choir, Vocal Director Senior Play, Musicals, Talent Show, Majorettes
DRAPER, WILLIAM "Drape" "Hollywood" "Billy Club" Freshman Football, JV Hockey, Honor Society, V Tennis
DURR, NADINE "Deanie" Concert Band '77, International Club, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Homeroom Representative
DUTCHER, SHIRLEY "Shirl" "Fric" "Whirrley" "Dutch" Pep Club
EDICK, RICHELLE "Roach" "R" "Shell" "Rut" Pep Club, De-O-Wain-Sta, Tangent '79
EGGAN, DOUGLAS "Doug" Honor Society
EGGLESTON, LORI "Eggy" Ski Club
ENGLE, NANCIE "Dingo" Concert Band '77, Wind Ensemble '78.
ERNEST, KAREN "Ernie" "Soph" JV Hockey
ESPOSITO, JEFFREY "Espo" Football, Baseball, Track, Skiing
EVANS, BILL "Willie" "Wilbur" "Evans" Block R, JV Football, V Football, Spring Track, JV Basketball, V Basketball, Indoor Track
FACCIOLO, KAREN "Fatch" Key Club
FAHEY, LAWRENCE "Larry" "Horner" "Grasshopper" "Nip" "Kung-Fu" "Tanysu Do" Volleyball, Swim Team, Chorus, Pop & Swing Choir, "Drunkard", Debate Team, Yearbook, Drama Club
FARMER, ANNE "Annie" Homeroom Representative
FENTON, ANDREW S. Senior Class Pres., Key Club Sec., De-O-Wain-Sta, Talent Show '78 '79, Jr. and Sr. Floats, Powder Puff Cheerleader, Joe Law Club
FERRARI, MICHELLE Orchestra, Chorus, Area All-State, "Pajama Game", "Bye Bye Birdie", "Drunkard", Drama Club, Colgate Seminar
FILLIPPONI, TIMOTHEY C. V Football, V Baseball
FITZGERALD, BILL "Fitz"
FLECK, BILL "Flecker" JV Lacrosse, V Lacrosse, JV & V Football, Block R
FLINT, ANDREA "Andy"

Gotta light?



"Come blow your horn"

Spring fever in January?

FONTANA, MARY "Mare" "Ted"
FORBES, BILL "Forbesie" JV & V Soccer
FRAGAPANE, ANTHONY "Niece" JV Football
FRASCA, MARK "Frasc" Track, JV & V Football, Block R
FROIO, BERNIE Block R, JV Football, JV & V Basketball
FROIO, CHRISTOPHER B. "Froto" Soccer
GALANTI, MARY "Blond" A Capella Choir, School Musical '79, Senior Play '79, Madrigal-Swing Group, Chess Team, Area All-State
GARLINGHOUSE, BETH "Grinds" "Grinder"
GILBOY, BARBARA "Barb"
GLASSO, CAROLYN Honor Society
GOETZ, PAMELA "Pam" "Goetzo" "Pammie" Powder Puff Football, V Swimming, Block R, Key Club, International Club
GORMAN, TAMELA "Tammy" "T Lee G" Swimming, Drawing, Skiing
GRANBERRY, MICHAEL "Pooh-Bear" Basketball, Track, Block R
GRANDE, VINCENT Knight Times, Junior Achievement
GRANIERI, BONNIE "Bonnie Lee" Vice-pres. Drama Club, STASS, Sophomore Delegate, AFS, Marching Band, Co-director Talent Show, De-O-Wain-Sta, JV Tennis, Concert Band, BSI, "The Pajama Game", "Bye Bye Birdie", Senior Play, Interact Club.
GRIFFIN, PATRICK "Trick" "Griffin-P" "Cuda"
GRIFFIN, SHAWN Freshman and JV Football, Freshman JV Wrestling
GRIMM, TERRY "Grimmer" V Bowling, Block R, Colgate Seminar, Honor Society, International Club
GROGAN, , ANN Block R, Key Club, JV & V Swimming
GROMAN, MARK "Orv" "Groface" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Campus Life Club
GUALTIERI, VICTORIA "Vicki Gee" "Gual" Soph., Jr., and Sr. Floats, Jr. Talent Show, WCSC Vice-pres., Key Club
GULLO, TOM "Nugent"

When will it end?

There must be 50 ways to leave the classroom

GWARA, SCOTT Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, All-State, "Pajama Game"
GUY, KIMBERLY "Kimbo" JV & V Field Hockey, Powder Puff Football, Key Club, Ski Club
HACKERT, RICHARD "Supervision", "EUP" International Club, Bowling, Golf, Chess Club, Honor Society
HARITATOS, SPERO Key Club, Lacrosse
HARRIS, MELINDA A. Downhill Skiing
HAVENS, DANA "D.H. Day", "Daune R" Key Club, Softball
HEDRINGTON, ANN "Banana" "Annie" "Head" JV Cheerleader, T.I.H.S., F.M.D.C.
HENDERSON, DON V Golf, Honor Society, Block R
HENDERSON, KECIA Track, Powder Puff Football, Pep Club, International Club, Homeroom Rep., Marching Band
HEPWORTH, JANE "Bright Eyes" Red Cross
HERTER, AMY Synchronized Swimming, International Club, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

HLUSKA, ELIZABITH "Liz" Red Cross Club

HLUSKA, MARY "Huskey Hluska" Tennis, Bowling, Singing, Dancing

HOEHN, LINDA "Hoey" "HO HO" "Space" "Dizzy" Key Club, De-O-Wain-Sta, Homeroom Rep., Class Float '77 '79, Honor Society, Powder Puff Football, Talent Show — Pointer Sister, Field Hockey, Gymnastics, Vice-pres. C. Club, Pres. UPOAC, AG, WCSC, POV

HOJNACKI, DEBORAH "Deb" "Hojax" Majorette 3 yrs., Powder Puff Football

HOPKINS, MARGARET "Bye Bye Birdie", De-O-Wain-Sta, Espana '79, Honor Society, International Club, Library Club, Orchestra, Who's Who Among American High School Students

HOUSER, TIMOTHY "Howy" JV & V Football, Lacrosse, Indoor and Spring Track

HOUTENBRINK, ROXANNE "Foxy Roxy" "Rocky" "Hustle" Block R, V Track, Concert & Marching Band, Pep Club, Talent Show '79, Volleyball, Basketball, Majorettes, GAA

HOVEY, CLAY Managing Editor Knight Times, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

HUGHES, CHRISTOPHER "Hubie" "Huey" V Soccer, Key Club

IRVINE, CHRISTOPHER "Ukoun Kid" "Irv" Marching Band, Diving

ISBISTER, JOHN "Izzy" Manager V Baseball, Manager V Football

JANES, ROBERT "Bob" JV & V Football, JV & V Lacrosse

JANZEN, PETE "Sam"

JAYNES, TIMOTHEY R. "Tim" "Moose" "WWOW" B.S.I.

JOHNSON, BRIDGET K. "KBJ" "Face" "Mom" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Drama Club, Musicals, Color Guard, Co-director Talent Show, BSI, AFS, WCSC, Debate Team All-State Conference, Choir, Senior Play, De-O-Wain-Sta Editor

JOHNSON, ROBBIE Junior Achievement

JOHNSON, ROXANNE, "Shelley" Chorus

JONES, ANDREA "Ando" Ski Club, Key Club

JONES, MELANIE "Mel" "Jonesy" "Dooley" V Cross Country, Sec. Pep Club, V Bowling, V Archery, De-O-Wain-Sta, Powder Puff Football

JONES, MICHAEL "Mick" JV & V Football, V Hockey, JV & V Baseball, Block R., Who's Who Among American High School Students

KABOOBAWETZ, ANNA "Boobitz" Chest Club, Chest Club Pres., Treas. Weightlifting, Synchronized Wrestling

KAHLER, HEATHER V Swimming, JV & V Volleyball, Block R, Powder Puff Football, Powder Puff Basketball, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

KAHOFER, MICHAEL "Mike" "Tigger" Chess Club

KAPLAN, LORI "Kap" Key Club, Sec. Honor Society, STASS, Powder Puff Football

KAUN, PATRICIA Archery, Block R

KEHOE, HOLLY "Hollie Hubbie" Colgate Seminar, Pres. Honor Society, Key Club, BSI, Block R. V Swimming, International Club, Ski Club, Powder Puff Football, Young Musical Artists

A little bit of home.

KELLY, BRIAN J. Jr. "B.J." "Ravioli" "Rav" "Beege", Honor Society Concert Band, Marching Band, Homeroom Rep. De-O-Wain-Sta, Senior Float, Senior Play

KELLEY, KEVIN "Little Maziman" "Lynyrd" "Phineas"

KENNEDY, PAT "Rabbit" "Mama" "The Wanderer"

KESSLER, KAREN "Wheeler" "Pooh" International Club

KINDLER, BRENDA Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

KING, MICHAEL "Sam" "Nugent"

KIPFER, BRUCE "Turk" "Goose"

KIRK, DAVID "No" "Devo" "Dek" Skateboarding, Skiing, Surfing

KNOWLES, KAREN E. "Confused" SSS Club, Study Hall 429, Honor Society

KNUDSEN, KATHY Colgate Seminar, International Club, BSI, Honor Society

KOPCHIK, MARY "Chickie" Debate Team, International Club, Interact Club, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

What am I doing in the Senior section?

KORZENSKI, JOANN "Jo" "Kor" JV & V Field Hockey, Key Club, Tangent Block R

KRAKAUER, BECKY "Buckwheat" SSS Club, 8th period Room 429

LABOUEF, KAREN "Buffy" "La Butt" SSS Club, Room 429

LACEY, MIKE Lacrosse, Skiing

LAFORGE, PATRICK School Paper, Chess Team, Honor Society

LAIRD, CURTIS "Kurt" "Lairdy" Knight Times Photographer, Amateur Radio Art Show for Mechanical Drawing

LAMONICA, KIM "Framp" "Mrs. Hubes" Honor Society, Talent Show, Choir

LANE, THOMAS "The Idiot" Cross Country, Indoor Track, Spring Track, Marching Band, Concert Band, Block R

LAUBER, KARL "Banjo Man" "Fiddler" "Loob" Newspaper, Chess Team

LAURI, JOHN M. Ski Club, De-O-Wain-Sta

LAVOIE, SUZETTE "Suzie" Spanish Club Treasurer, Asst. Ed. Yearbook, Honor Society, Quill & Scroll Society, School Play, Prom Committee

LAWTER, LEANNA "Flea" "Fleanna" "Lea" "Fleabea-Anne" JV & V Football Cheerleading, V Basketball Cheerleading, V Track, AFS Exchange Student to Switzerland, Sec. Junior Class, Block R, Talent Show '79, Powder Puff Football '78 '79, Powder Puff Basketball '79, Davis Essay Contest, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Key Club, Class Float '77 '79, STASS Rep. '77 '79, Planted Crocus Bulbs, De-O-Wain-Sta, Sr. Play Publicity

LEFFERT, KYLE "Leff" "Ski" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

LEFTRIDGE, EUNICE "Ui'sexx" "Marg" "Enice" "Loisland" "Miss Sally" Drama Club, Pep Club, Choir, Track Team, Drill Team, Black History

LEVICK, JONATHAN "Jon" "Levickface" STASS Rep., De-O-Wain-Sta, Sr. Class Pres., Class Floats '78 '79, Talent Show Ghost Writer, Powder Puff Cheerleader

LEWIS, GREG "Lumis" "Benson"

LIM, EDWARD "Ed" '79 Musical, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Ski Club, Racketball, Union Brass

VERRY FUNNY.

LINCE, JILL "Poohey"

LINCE, WILLIAM J. "Bill" Chess Club

LITTLE, JOSEPH "Cricket" "Joe" Chess Club

LOMBINO, KAREN "Bambino" "Shorty" "Weasles" Choir

LOPARCO, MARYBETH "Shorty" Cross Country

LOSON, KIM MARIE "Kimmy" Cross Country, Indoor Track, Track & Field, Jogging, Junior Prom '78

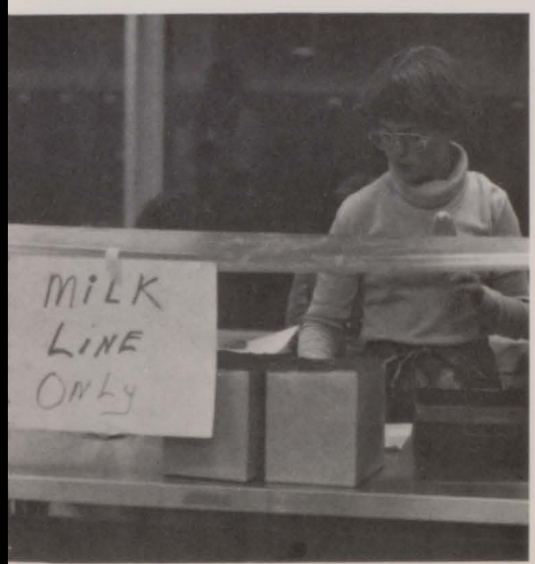
LOVETT, SUZANNE "Suszy"

LUBECK, JOHN "John" Water Skiing

LUDLOW, DEBORAH L. "Deb" "Bee" Honor Society, Chess, Media Club, BSI, Musicals '79 '80, Talent Show '78

LUX, WILLIAM W. JR. "Willy" "Suds" "Luxy" "Billy Boy" "Wally" Ski Club

MACLACHLAN, BETH R. "Ben Robare" "Baby Bethy" Synchronized Swimming Co-captain, Choir, Senior Play, AFS, De-O-Wain-Sta



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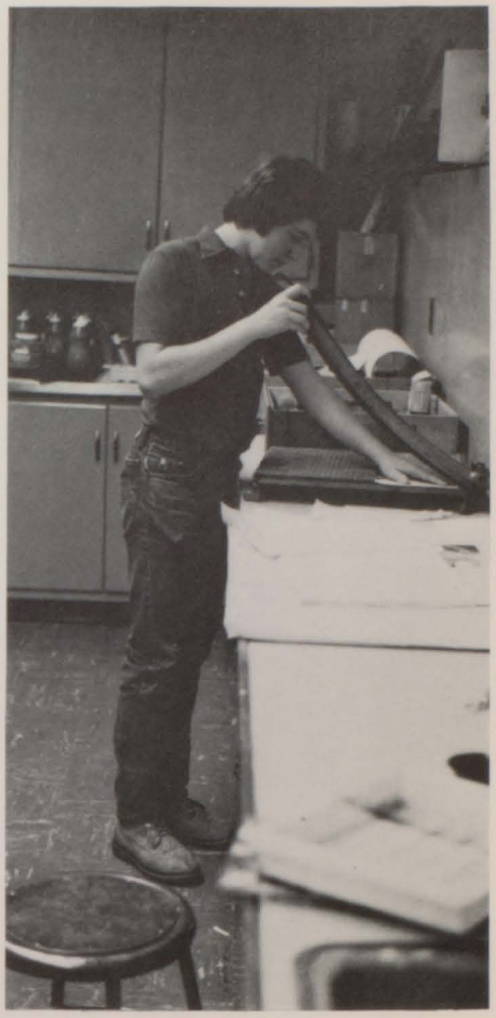

Mother will never see this report card.

MAGGIO, MARY BETH "Besh" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Germany '78, Powder Puff Football, International Club

MAGOON, ANDREW C. "Andy" Skiing, Deep Sea Fishing

MAITLAND, ROY E. Orchestra, Baseball

MANDRONICO, ELIZABETH "Liza" International Club, Honor Society

MANGANARO, DEBORAH "Mango" Softball, International Club, Student Council

MANNING, ALPHONSO Science, Chess Club

MARTIN, BARBARA "Barbie" Concert Band, Marching Band, Syncronized Swimming, Yearbook Business Editor

MANTELLI, SANDRA "Sandra" JV & V Field Hockey, Block R, Marching Band, Pep Band

MARCISOFSKY, SUE "Suzy Q" "Mingo" Key Club

MARCOCCIA, BERNARD J. "Bernie" "The Incredible Hulk" Colgate Seminar, Honor Society, Concert Band, Marching Band

MARKS, LAURA "Rusty" Marching Band, Pep Band, International Club

MARSHALL, TODD "Toddler" Track, Block R, Media Club

MARTIN, JOHN Wrestling

MARTINEZ, LISA M. "Martinex" "Marty" "Marvin" "Shorty", Key Club, Tennis, JV Volleyball, STASS, Homeroom Rep. Powder Puff Football, Trip to Spain

MARULLO, PAUL "Henry" "Elvis" Gym Club

MATTESON, ROBERT "Bob" JV Bowling

MAY, PATRICIA "Tricia" "Taymay" "Dish" Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Block R, Key CLub, Class Treas. STASS, Talent Show, Pajama Game, "Bye, Bye Birdie", Colgate Seminar, Honor Society, Powder Puff Football

MAZZACUA, THERESA "Tracy" "Tequila" "Theresa (Red)", SSS Club, International Club

I give up!

MC MINN, CATHERINE "Cass" "Shortbabe" "Cathy"

MEAD, ROBIN Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

MEEKER, JEAN Tennis

MERRICK, REBEKAH "Becke" AFS, Orchestra, Chorus, Senior Play, Musical '79

MEYER, SANDRA "Sandy" Drama Club, Debate Club, Senior Play

MEYERS, DARLAJO "Smilie" "Dat" STASS, Powder Puff Football

MILLER, ALBERT "Big Al" "Al" Radio Club

MILLER, CAROL V Swimming, JV Cheerleader

MILLER, CYNTHIA "Cindy" "Cind" Tennis, Pep Club, Powder Puff Football

MILOTTE, CARRIE "Ellie" Key Club, Powder Puff Football

MIZGALA, JAMES "Miz" "Misery" "Queenie" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Key Club, Talent Show, Jr. Sr. Floats

MONTALBANO, DINO Soccer

MOONAN, WILLIAM "Chet" "F---" Musicals: "Pajama Game", "Bye, Bye Birdie", Drama Club, AFS, A Capella Choir '77, '78 Senior Play, Area All-State Choir, All-State Conference, Choir, Talent Show '79, V Track BSI, Color Guard

MORECROFT, SCOTT "Mortycroft" "Mork"

MULKEY, MICHAEL "Gonzo" "Incr" JV & V Baseball, Senior Prankster, ICT

MURPHY, DAN "Redman" "Murf" Block R, Basketball, Track, Tennis, Football, Bowling, Floats, Senior Play Heckler

MUSZYNSKI, LINDA Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

NAGY, DEBORAH "Deb" "Smiley" International Club, Marching Band, Pep Band, Concert Band

NASETKA, CYTHIA "Cindy" V Bowling, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, International Club, Pep Club, Marching & Concert Band, Powder Puff Football

NELSON, CARLESE L. "Tillie" "Red" Black History, Choir

NEWMAN, MARY ANN "Bones" Rah-Rah" JV & V Cheerleading

NICHOLSON, MARIJILL "Jill" "Leslie" Key Club, Block R, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Sr. Class Sec., V. Fieldhockey, JV & V Volleyball, JV & V Basketball, V Softball, Powder Puff Football

NICOTERA, MIKE "Nic" JV & V Bowling

NORTHUP, LAWRENCE K. "Larry" "Flash" "Farmer" Key Club, Vandals, Honor Society, Cheerleader, Floats, Talent Show, Senior Play Heckler

OBRIEN, THOMAS "Obe" Honor Society Vandals

ONEILL, COLLEEN "HI-C" "Curbhopper" International Club

OTIS, DEBORAH "Deb" "O" Block R, V Archery '78 '79

Eric Decker — Bite your tongue!

Determination.

Chow, chow, chow.

I think we just got caught skipping.

Disco Daze.

OWEN, ROBERT "Bob" "Doc" Indoor Track Manager

PALINSKI, SUE "Soupy" Honor Society, Block R, JV & V Field Hockey, JV & V Volleyball, JV & V Basketball, JV & V Softball, Powder Puff Football

PANARA, ROGER "Dodger" Detrick" "Disco" "Baggy" Block R, Key Club, Cheerleader, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Pres. Jr. Class, Vice-pres Soph. Class, V Soccer, JV Basketball Boy's State

PARKER, ANNETTE Black History Club

PARKER, LYNNETTE CAROL "Lynn" Black History Club

PARKER, PATRICIA "Cork" Junior Achievement, Red Cross Club

PECK, MARK Wrestling, Band

PELING, MIKE "Mushroom" "Skipper" JV & V Football, Block R

PERFETTI, DENNIS "D" JV & V Bowling

PETELL, JEANNINE "Pe-Tell" Key Club, Block R, JV & V Softball V Swimming

PETERSON, JAMES M. "Dr. J." "Doctor" "Sandman" "RT" "Dog Man", Basketball, Cross Country, Spring Track

PIETRAS, JANETTE "Jan" Pres., Sec., Pep Club, Honor Society, Manager V Spring Track

PITONIAK, LORI "Pits" "Lump" "Paws" International Club, Espana '79

PLANTZ, BARBARA "Barb" Homeroom Rep., AFS

POHL, DEBRA "Deb" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

POHORENEC, GERALYN "Jerry" Honor Society, International Club

POLCE, NICHOLAS "Nick" Homeroom Representative

PREMO, MARK "Grizz" "Hardman" JV & V Football, JV & V Lacrosse, Block R, Wrestling

PRITCHARD, STEVEN "Pritch" Hockey, Honor Society

PROSSNER, LESLIE "Jill" Block R, Key Club, V. Field Hockey, JV V Volleyball, Indoor Track, V Softball, Marching Band, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

PUENTE, LYLE "Twinky" "Spick" "Chico" Sr. Float, Sr. Play, Sr. Spy

QUAIL, LINDA, "Quaily" "Birdie" Block R, V Bowling

QUATTROCIOCCHI, DEBRA "Deb" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar

RABE, MARK "Slabe" "Rag" V Soccer, V Tennis, Key Club, Block R

RAHMER, MARTHA Honor Society

RASMUSSEN, ERIC "Raz" "Airwick" "Scraz" Powder Puff Cheerleader, STASS, Floats

RECCHIO, RICHARD "Rick" International Club — Tres., Colgate Seminar Honor Society — Tres.

REEVES, NORMAN "Storm'in" JV Football

RETZLAFF, DALE JV Football

RHOADARMER, MICHAEL RFA Productions '78-'80

RILEY, JAMES "Riles" V Lacrosse, Key Club

RINGROSE, BARBARA "Barb" Ringroso" Barbarina" Block R, International Club, Honor Society, V Swimming

ROBINSON, KENNETH G. "Butch" Interact Club, Honor Society, Chess Club

RODRIGUES, PAULA AFS, Volleyball, Chorus

RONDINELLI, MARK "Rondo" RFA Productions "75-"80, V Lacross

ROONEY, EILEEN "Eileenathon" "Ellen" Honor Society, Key Club, International Club Orchestra

ROSSI, HOLLI "Flash" International Club, Talent Show, Chorus, School Newspaper

ROSSI, MARY KAY "Buff" Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Orchestra

RUSSELL, LONNIE M. "Weezle" "Lonz" Gymnastics, Basketball, Volleyball

RUSTER, JULIE "Julia" "Jules"Verne" International Club, Sr. Play, Drama Club, Pep Club

SALAMONOWICZ, CHARLES Golf, Joe Law Club

SCALERO, ANTHONY Lacross, Block R

SCHALLENBERG, MARY ANN "Mary" "Mar" "Farmer"

SCHILLING, TRACEY J. "Tar-resa" "Trace"

SCHMIDT, MICHELLE "Shell"

SCHMIDT, SELINA "Seal"

SCHULTZ, CINDY "Schultzy" "Two-Pencils" V Cross Country, Synchronized Swimming, Tres. Pep Club '78, De-O-Wain-Sta, Powder Puff Football '79, Honor Society

SEARS, JON "Jonnie Brain Damage" Key Club, Intoxication Club

SEIGLER, JOY L. Synchronized Swimming

SELLERS, KIMBERLY International Club, Powder Puff Football, Black History Club

SEXTON, DENNIS Concert Band, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Science Club

SHEEN, CATHERINE "Cathy" International Club

SIMIELE, DEBRA "Doobie Schmiel" Space Cadets, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, Block R, Student Association, V. Bowling, Jr. and Sr. Floats, Key Club, Talent Show — Pointer Sister, Powder Puff Football, Basketball

SMITH, LAURIE "LSD" Key Club

SMITH, MARTY "Hop" Indoor Track, Spring track, Boy Scouts of America

SMITH, MICHAEL "Smitty" Lacrosse

SOUTHARD, DONNA "Babe" Honor Society, Pep Club Pres., De-O-Wain-Sta.

STAUDMYER, KAY "Staudy" JV & V Field Hockey, Key Club

STEAGALL, KELLY Block R. Colgate Seminar, Field Hockey JV Basketball, JV Volleyball

ST. LOUIS, KAREN "Saint" "Scoop" Track and Field, Newspaper '79

STRANGE, FRANCES Archery

SUTHERLAND, MARK "William Bughead" Cross Country, Indoor Track, Spring Track, Honor Society, Class Rep.

SUTTER, MARK "Soda Pop" "Twinkle Toes" Motorcycle Club

SWEENEY, JIM "Moke" Cross Country, Indoor Track, Spring Track

TALLEY, JAMES "Wheels" "Tal" Key Club, Block R, JV & V Football

TAYLOR, ANDREW M. "Angelo" "Tigger" Block R, Marching Band, Pep Band, Wind Ensemble, Orchestra, JV Football, JV & V Lacrosse, Sr. Play, Drama Club, International Club.

THIELKE, RICHARD "Tilk" Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Orchestra Manager Swim Team, Area-All State Band, Brass Union, Pep Band

THOMPSON, KAREN "Niece" V Cheerleading, JV Basketball

Romeo, Romeo, where for art thou?

Dynamic but Controversial.

On to Lake Placid.

Beating the energy crisis.

Friday: 3:30 P.M.

Monday: 8:00 A.M.

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TIMMONS, WILLIE Cross Country, Indoor Track, Spring Track, Block R, International Club, NAACP

TOSTI, AVA "Bob's 'ol fling" Skiing

TRACY, MARY "Jane" Basketball

TREXLER, ROBIN "Rob" "Red" "Kandi" V Swimming, Student Assoc., Pep Club Powder Puff Football

TURNER, CLIFTON, "Cliffy-Baby" "Bones" "Casanova" "Kunta" Indoor /Spring Track, Cross Country, International Club, Block R, NAACP, YOP, Trip to Spain

TROUTMAN, DAVID R. "Randy" Knight Times, Community Theater

TUTHILL, CAROL A. "Tut" "Tutbutt" Choir, Drama Club, Music '78, "Pajama Game", Stage Crew, "Come Blow Your Horn"

VALENTINE, KATHLEEN "Kathy" Key Club, Block R, Talent Show, Powder Puff Basketball, Football, V Archery, V Fieldhockey.

VANDERBOGART, LISA "Sabrina" "Bogart" JV & V Field Hockey, Manager Boy's V Swim Team, V Archery, Key Club, Block R, Science Club, Chess Club, Powder Puff Football

VANDERPOOL, TARY "TV" "T. Vander" Block R, V Field Hockey, V Basketball, JV & V Volleyball, V Softball

VANDEVEER, TRACEY "Trace" Block R, Honor Society, Key Club, Student Association, JV & V Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Track, Powder Puff Football, Basketball

VANMETER, SANDI "Meter" Key Club

VANWAGENEN, TERRY "Van" Honor Society, Science Club, Chess Club

VELEZ, JOSE A. II "Spick" "Grog" Freshman JV Wrestling, Freshman V Track, Indoor Track, Block R, Ski Club, Student Council, Boy Scouts of America

VENTURA, CARRIE V Bowling, Pep Club, BSI

VETRONE, CHERYL "Mute" "V.V." Colgate Seminar, International Club BSI, Orchestra, Musicals '79 '80, Honor Society

VIENNEAU, DAVID "Gazoo" Football, Track

VINCI, LISA "Vince" "Shorty", "Lisa-Vee" Key Club, Majorettes, Sophomore Float

VOELCKER, CATHY "Space" "Stumps Via Jon B." Track, Key Club, Powder Puff Football, Senior Float

VOTA, BRENDA J. "Smiley" "BOBO" "B.V." Tennis, Trip to Spain, Sophomore Float

WARCUP, CATHY "Warc" "Warpedcup" "Warchup" BSI

WATSON, APRIL J. "Toots" International Club, Trip to Spain '79

WATSON, DOUG "Slick" Basketball, Baseball, Block R

WEGTER, BRUCE "Roscoe" Block R, Honor Society, Swim Team

WELLS, SHARON "Wells" "Frizzz" BSI, Honor Society, Colgate Seminar, V Bowling, School Newspaper

WELKER, MARY "Welky" "Stumps" "Toots" V Gymnastics, V Swimming, International Club, WCSC, Trip to Spain, De-O-Wain-Sta Class Float, SC Club

WESTON, DENISE J. "Neice" "Dee" Track

WHOOTEN, SHARRON A. "Whoot" BSI, De-O-Wain-Sta

WHYTE, KATHRYN "Kathy" "Five Minute Warning" Chess Club, Media Club

WIKIERA, JOHN R. "Grabby" BSI, Locker Fund

WILHELM, DANICA M. "Farrah" "Dee" "Dainaka" Key Club, Powder Puff Football, Majorettes, De-O-Wain-Sta Editor, Stass, Senior Float

WILLIAMS, JONATHAN S. BSI, Talent Show

WOODS, LORI "Lor" "Woody" "Rory" Honor Society, International Club, Syncronized Swimming, De-O-Wain-Sta Editor, Sr. Float, Pres. Soph Class, Who's Who Among American High School Students

WILLIAMS, SHERRY L. Honor Society, International Club

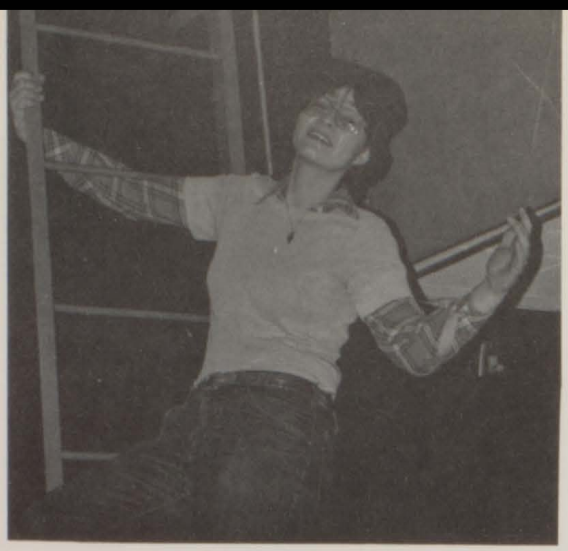
WILLSON, MARY "Mar" "Troubled Eyes" "Cuz" International Club, Student Council Rep.

WILSON, FLORENCE "Widget" "Juggs" "Bubbles" Gymnastics, Powder Puff Football, De-O-Wain-Sta, Sr. Play '79, Talent Show '79, Ski Club, Choir, WCSC, Musical — Pointer Sister

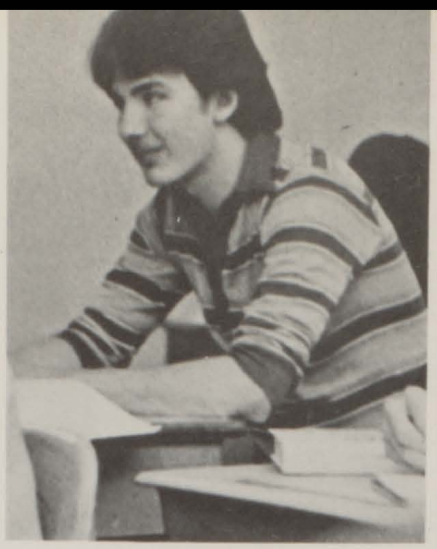
WILSON, RUTH "Ruthie" "Rufus" A Capella Choir, Sr. Play, Drama Club, Debate Team, Musical '80

YOUNG, NORMA "Poober" Honor Society, Block R, V Softball, V Bowling, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble

ZMUDOSKY, DAVID "Stemmer" "Zippy" Key Club, Lacrosse



The thrill of victory.



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My Harem.

The Agony of Defeat.

The Invasion of the Body Snatchers.

We're for ERA!

OOH BABE.

Have you never been mellow?

A meeting of minds?

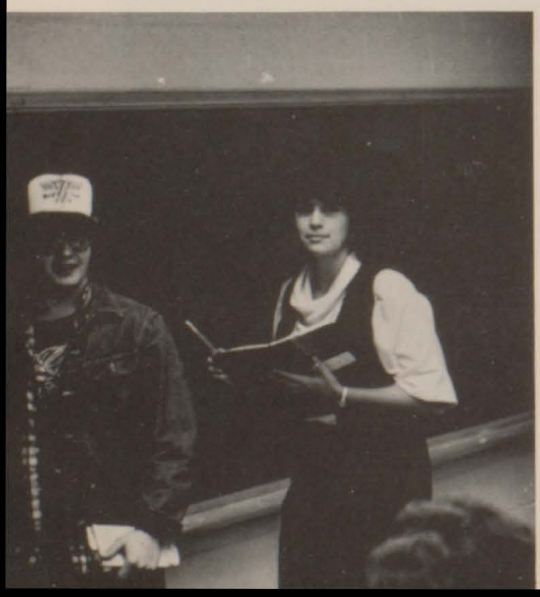
Which one is it now?

A grave situation.

Somebody said I look like Dustin Hoffman.

What have they done to my car!?

If only he knew his average.



Only 179 days left until summer vacation!

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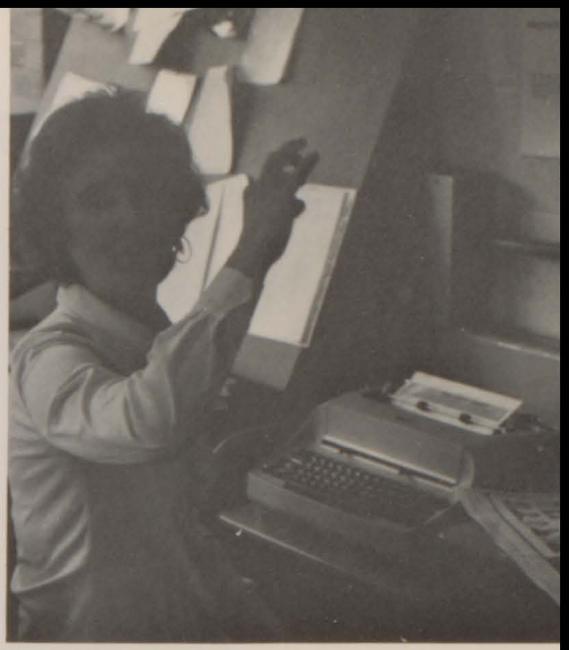
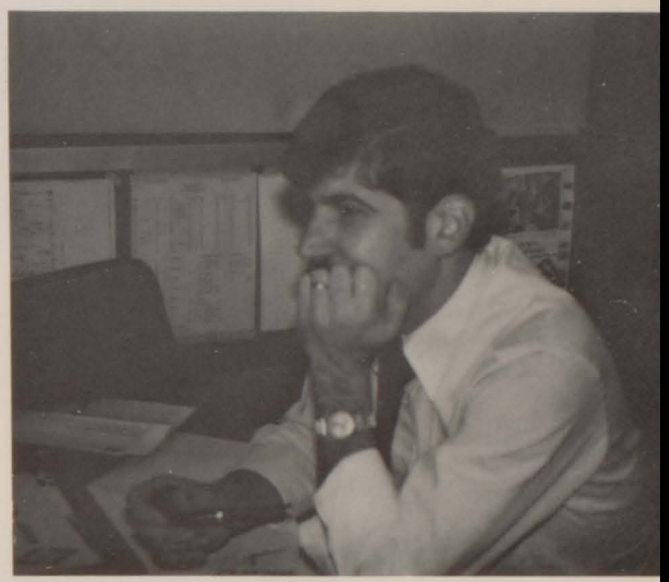


Any requests?

$1,000,000 smiles



Tsk, Tsk, enough of that!

Who, Me?

Hmmm . . .
I could have been president.

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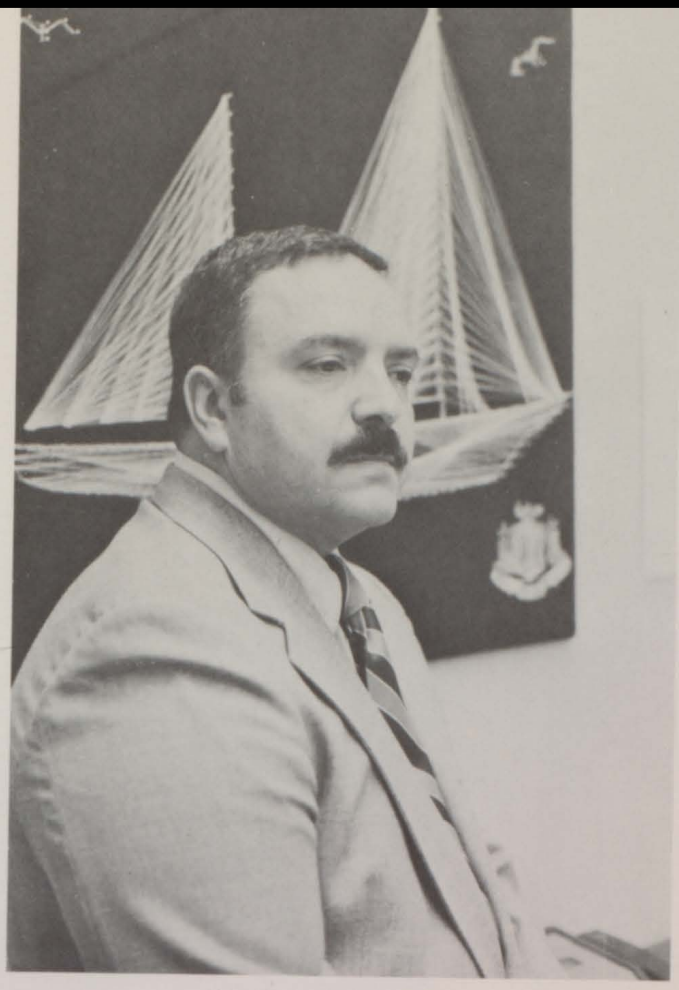

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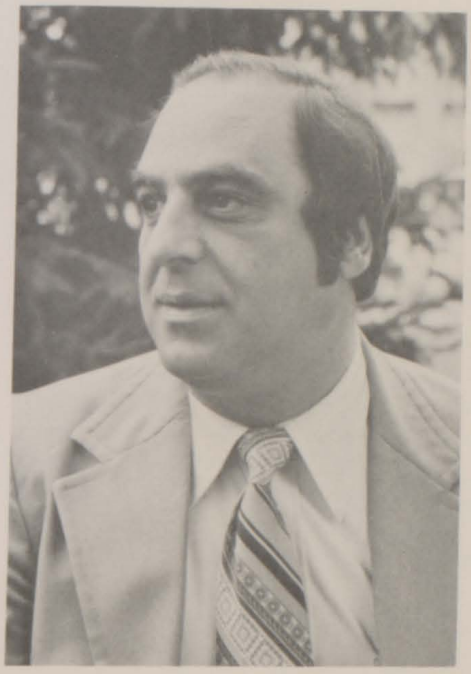

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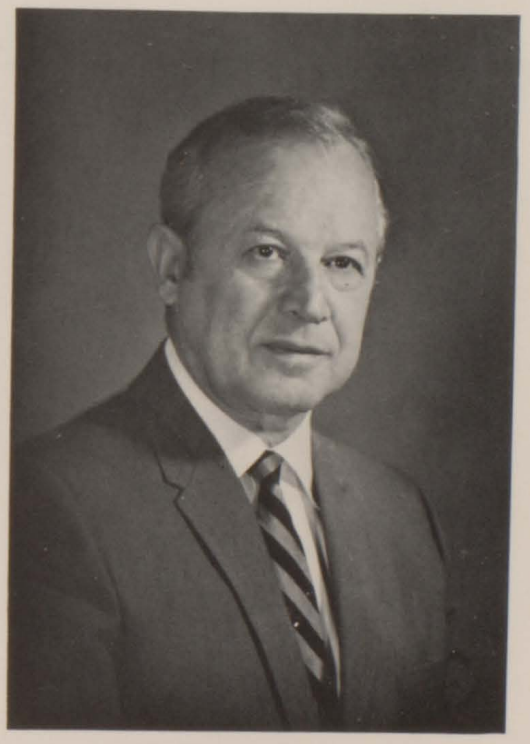

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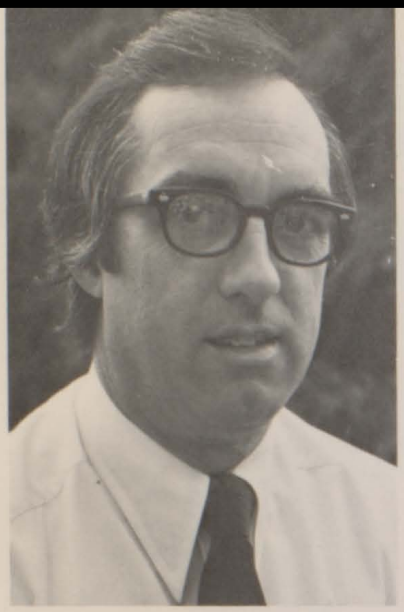

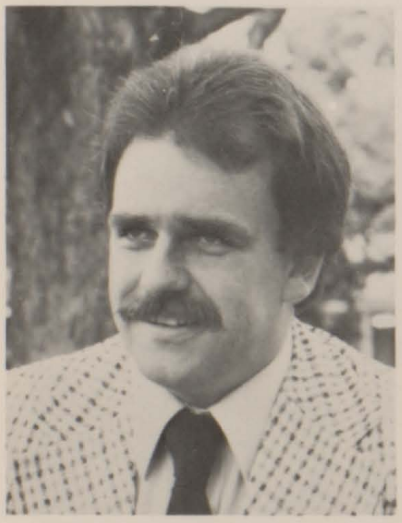

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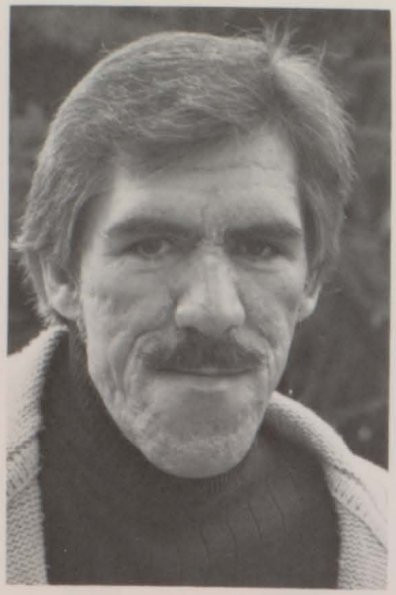

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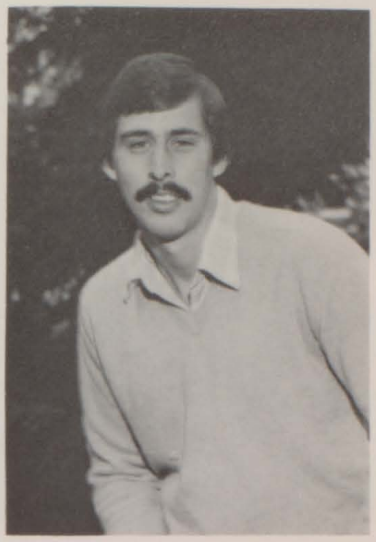

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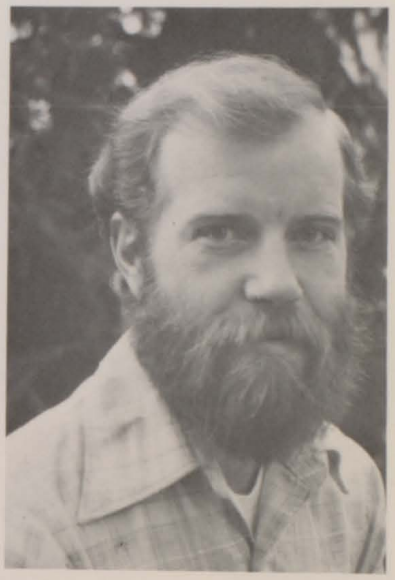

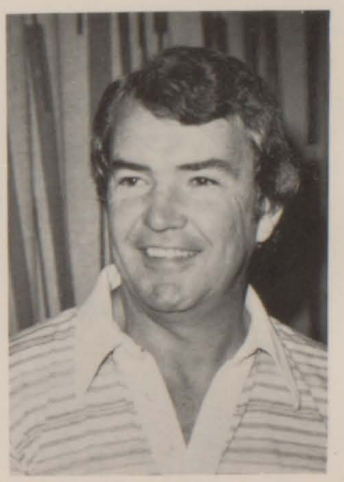

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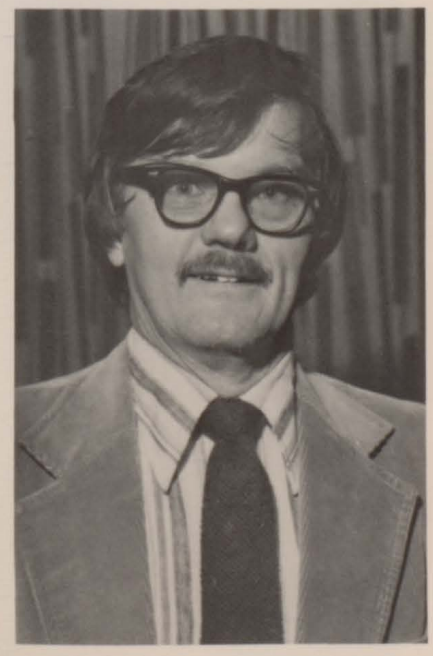

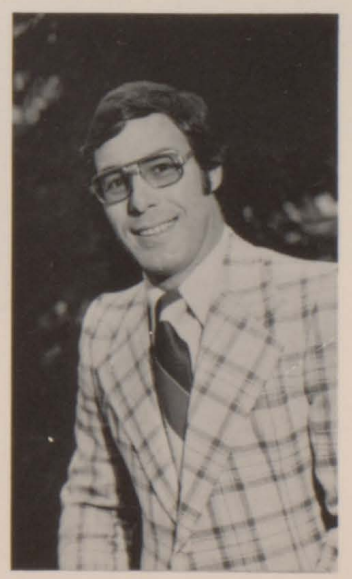

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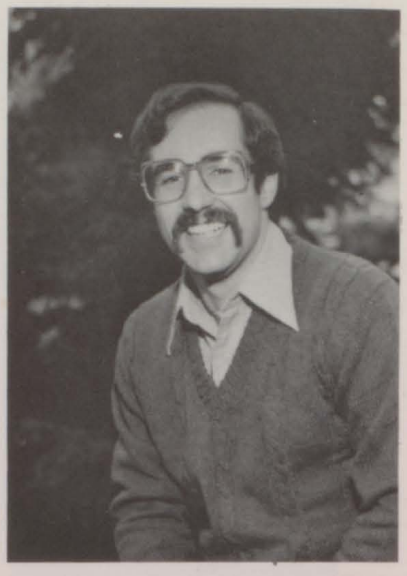

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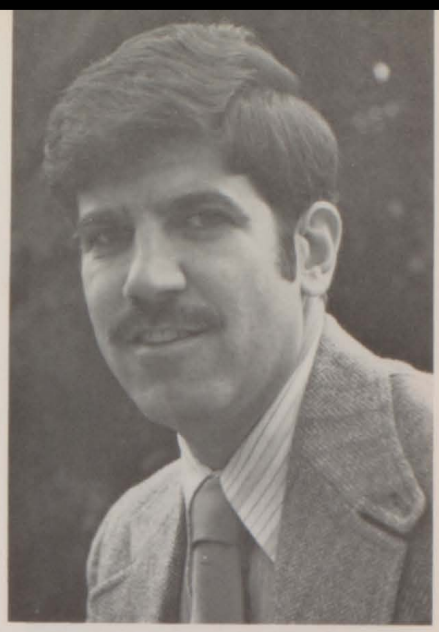

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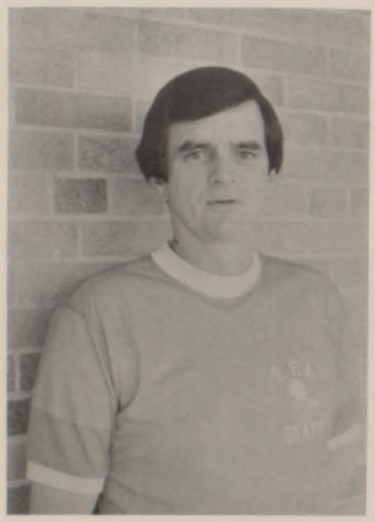

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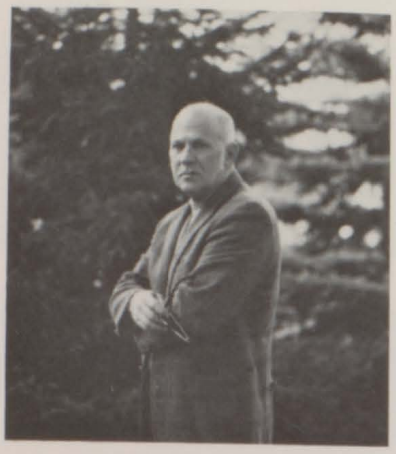

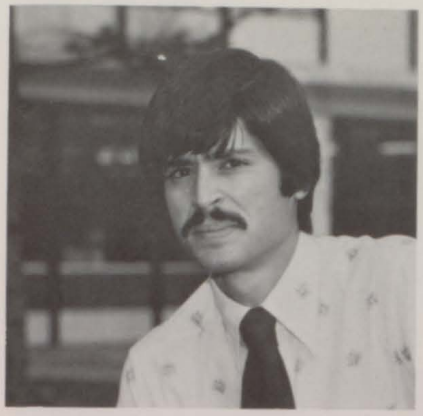

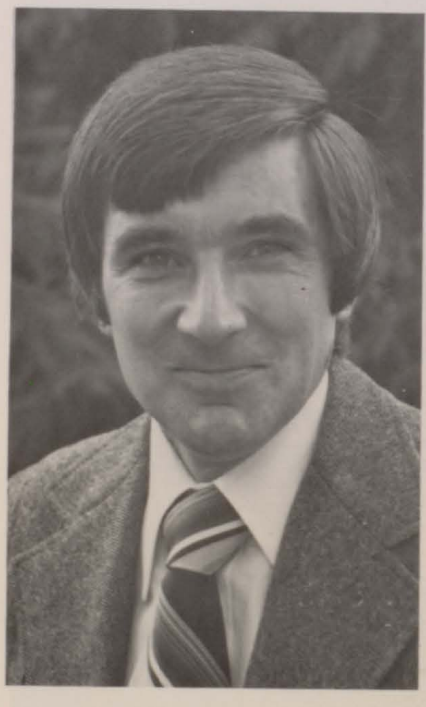

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Mr. Giardino, History

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Mr. Gigliotti, Physical Education
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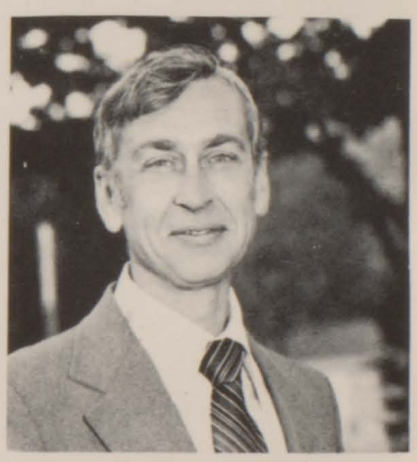

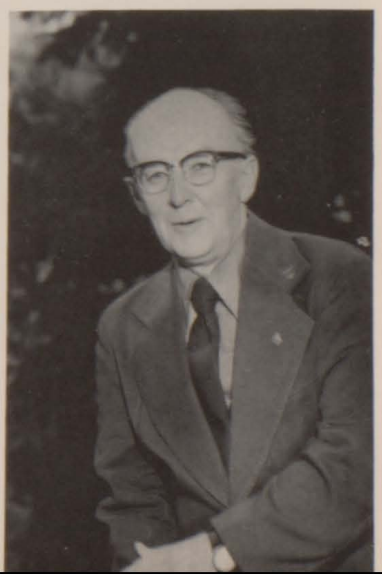

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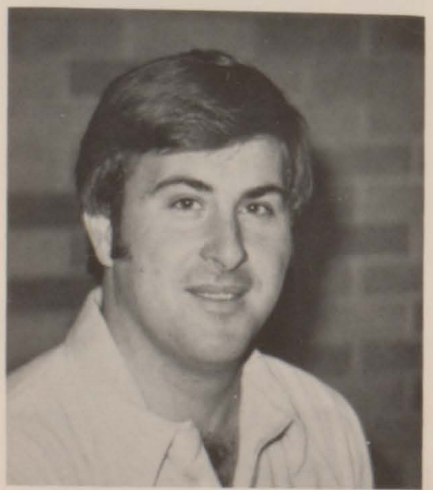

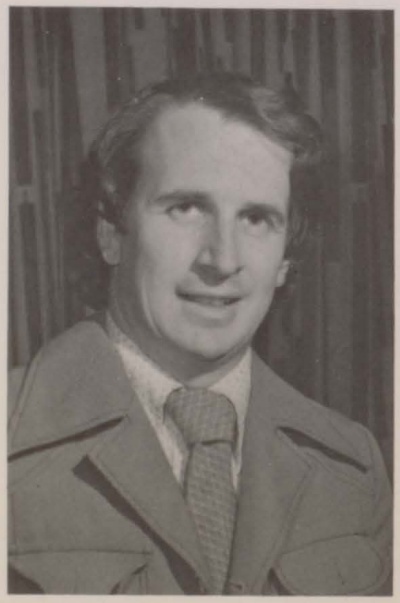

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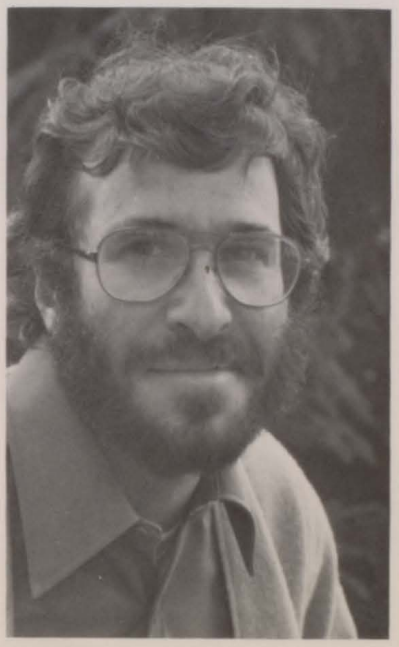

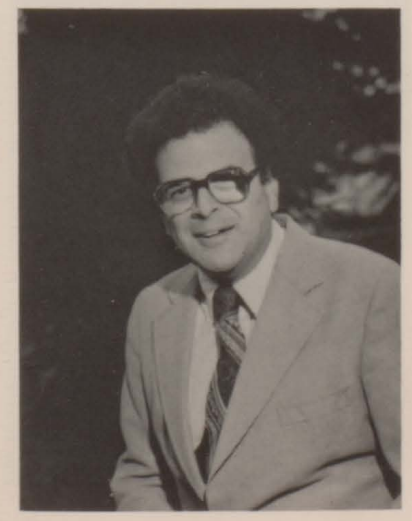

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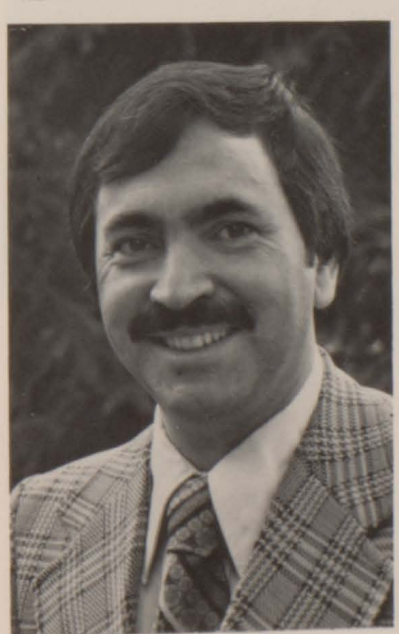

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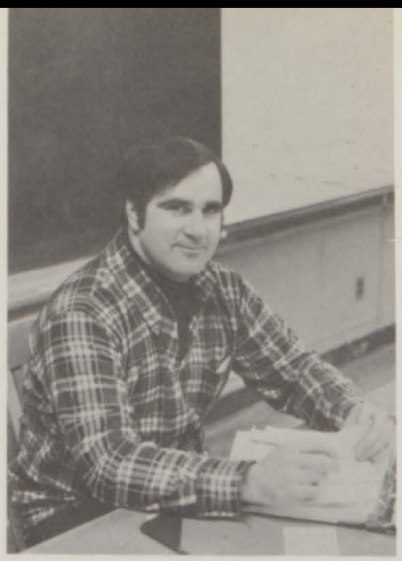

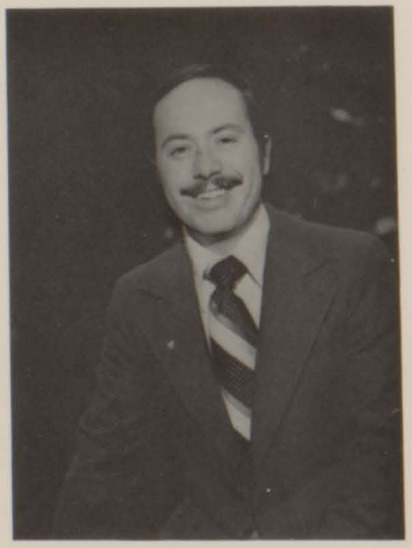

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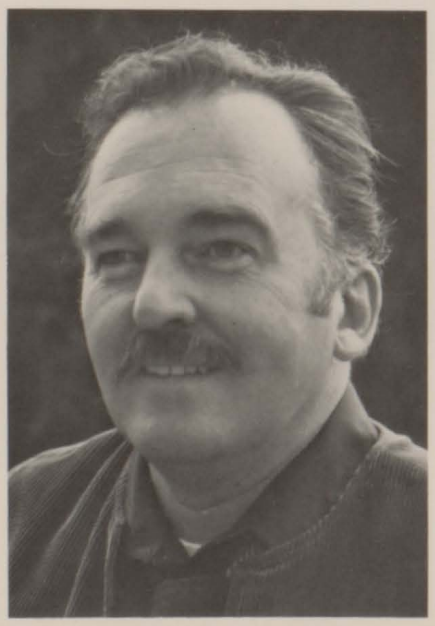

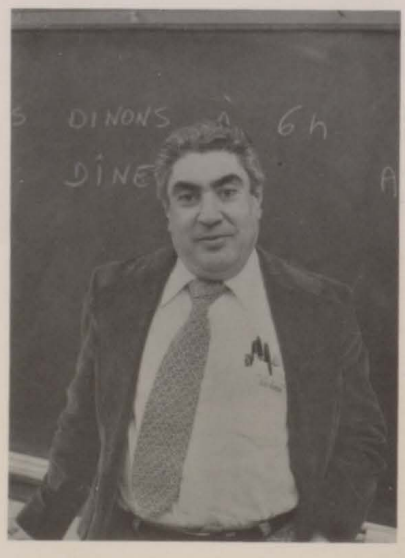

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Mrs. Moselle, Language

Mr. Newman, History
Miss Osborne, Science
Mrs. Parish, Language

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Mrs. Petrucci, Language
Mrs. Rakowski, Reading

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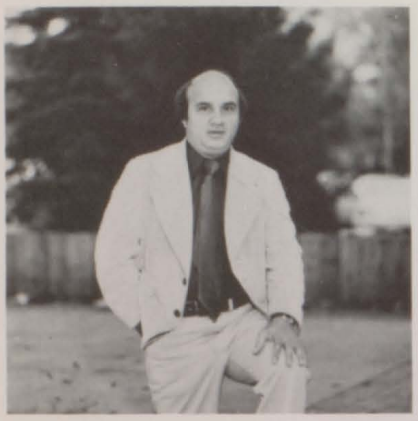

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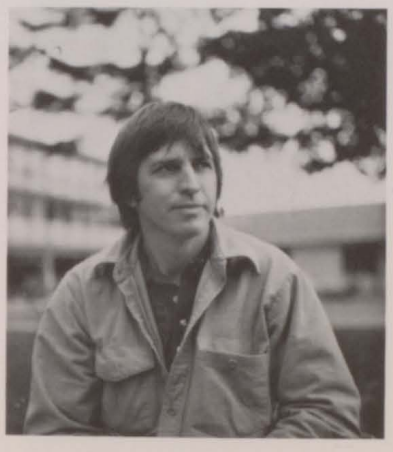

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Mr. Stockwell, Math Chairman

Mr. Swartwout, Science
Mrs. Tanny, Business
Mr. Terenzetti, Industrial Arts

Mrs. A. Tidd, Business
Mr. J. Tidd, Business
Mr. Uvanni, Science

Mrs. M. Vacca, Music
Mr. R. Vacca, Music
Mr. Vero, History

Mrs. Viviani, Health
Mr. Weisenburger,
Industrial Arts Chairman
Mr. West, History

Mrs. Zarnoch, Business

"A teacher affects eternity; no one can tell where his influence stops."

Henry Adams

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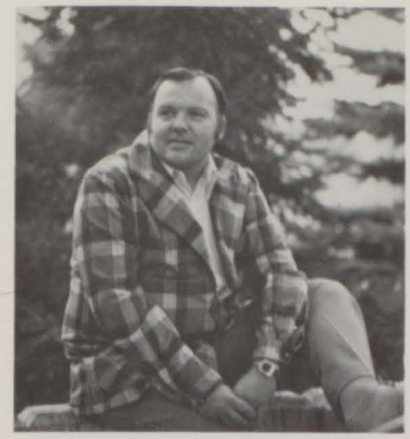

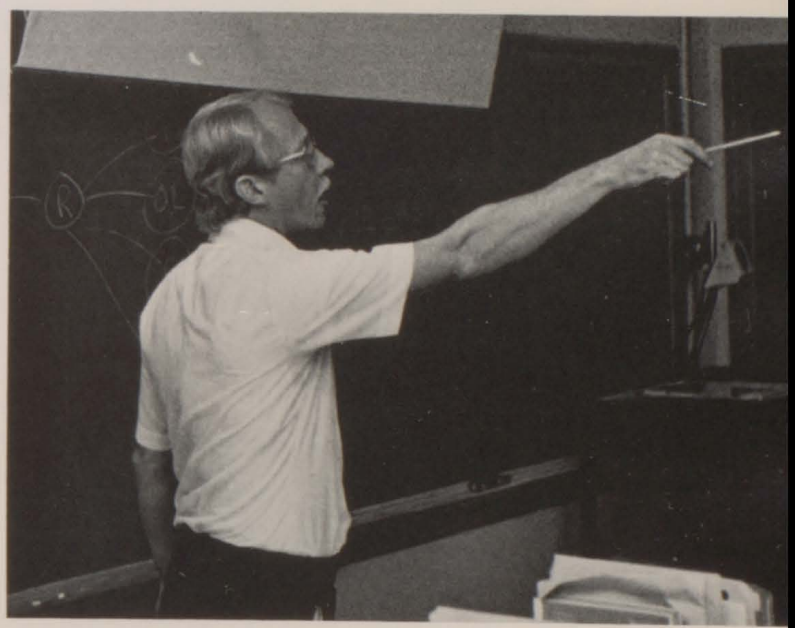

"If I had a child who wanted to be a teacher, I would bid him God-speed as if he were going to a war. For indeed the war against prejudice, greed and ignorance is eternal, and those who dedicate themselves to it give their lives no less because they may live to see some fraction of the battle won."

James Hilton

"The supreme end of education is expert discernment in all things —the power to tell the good from the bad, the genuine from the counterfeit, and to prefer the good and the genuine to the bad and the counterfeit."

Samuel Johnson

Special Services at Rome Free Academy

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Teacher Assistants

Betty Jane Eldred, Rosemary Argenzia, Florence Sager, Joyce Patchen, Angeline Gualtieri; Aids.

Mr. Paul Fanelli, Mr. Oscar Beers
Custodians

Front: Rose Myrick, Mary Mosca, Amelia Bertone. Back: Joyce Meyers, Stefane Bunal; Cafeteria Staff.

Florence Sager, Rosemary Argenzia

Memo to RFA Secretaries, Nurses, Aids, Teacher Assistants, Cafeteria Staff and Custodians:

We, the faculty, administration, and student body sincerely thank you for your consistent and dependable work, for your friendliness, and for the time and effort you give freely to make RFA function efficiently. Your dedication is appreciated.

Mrs. Parry, Secretary

Mrs. Belensky, Secretary

Mrs. Guy, Nurse

Mrs. Dematteo, Secretary

Mrs. Boris, Secretary

Mrs. Anson, Attendance Secretary

Mrs. Guaspari, Secretary

DID YOU KNOW?

Mr. Terenzetti became engaged to Miss Joan Rutz, a former Physics teacher at RFA.

Miss Dante will be married June 28, 1980 to Ray Smaldon

Mr. Corredine is attending Lamaze classes faithfully.

The Ski club advisor, Mr. Jacobowitz, will be advised by the members of the club on his skiing technique.

Mr. Bielec's son is a popular substitute teacher at RFA — could it be his good looks? Like father like son . . . including the brown "Corduroys".

Mr. Adey is still trying to grow a beard — Good Luck!

Mr. Humphey is supervising the students working in the YETP program. This program offers students a chance to earn money by making repairs at RFA and gives RFA quality upkeep for low cost. The students have done a terrific job!

Mr. Ball has been teaching at RFA for 36 years.

Mr. Mammone, our assistant principal, used to teach history and his daughter-in-law is presently an English teacher at RFA.

Mr. Mezzuferro was elected Common Council President and Mr. Campola is our new Alderman — 5th Ward.

MATCH NAMES WITH PICTURES

Mrs. Anson
Mr. Bielic
Mrs. Clancy
Miss Demers
Mr. Gray
Mrs. Hilow
Mr. Kelly
Mr. Lampman
Mr. Mammone
Mr. Milano
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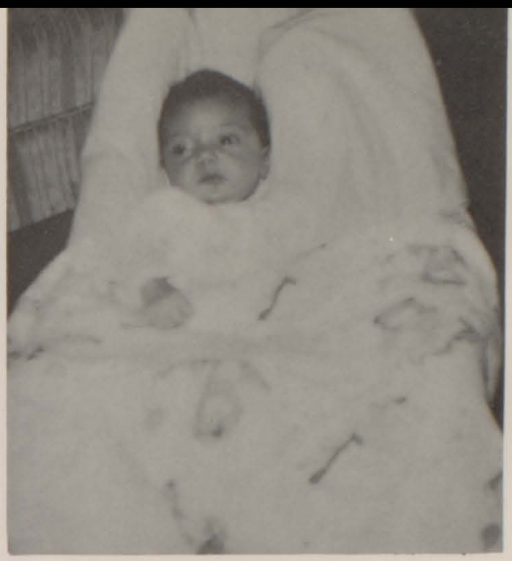
Mr. Woodard

Class of 1997

Megan Ann Kenny
Better Business Award



Christine Renzi
Homemaker of the Year

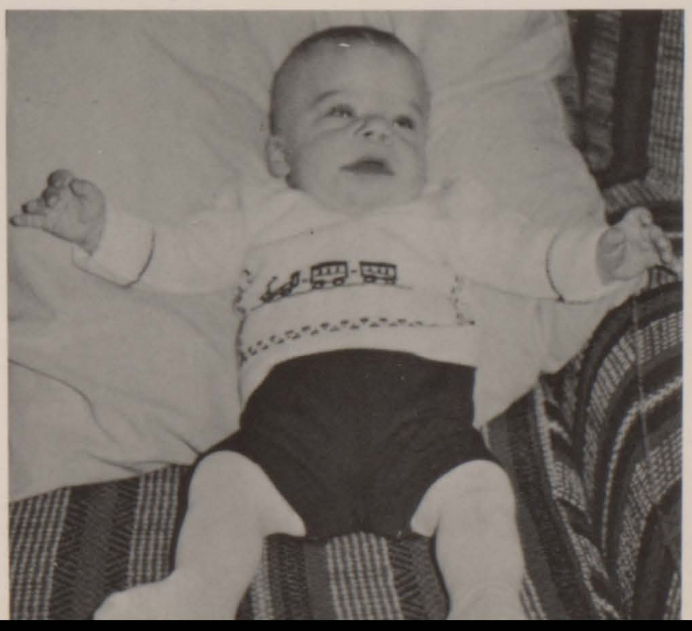
Colleen Erin MacLachlan
Future Biologist

Brian Ross
Nobel Prize for Literature

Kelly Rakowski
Speed Reading Award

Kelly Burlison
RFA Cheerleader

Christopher Adey
RFA Star Quarterback



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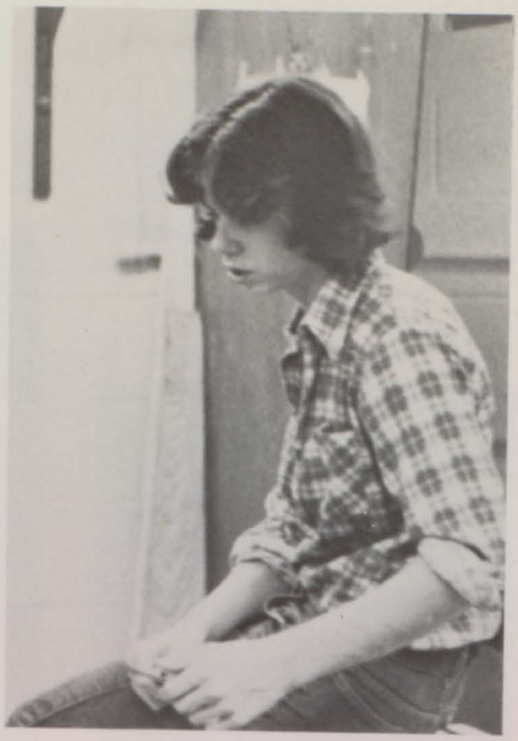

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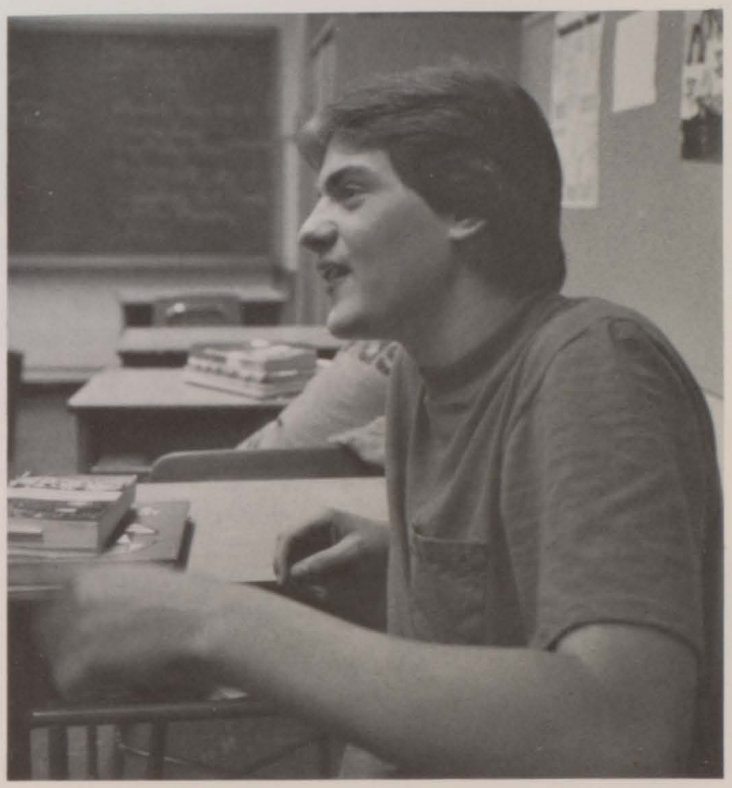

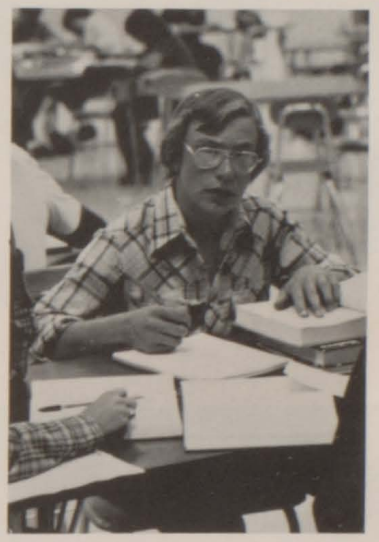

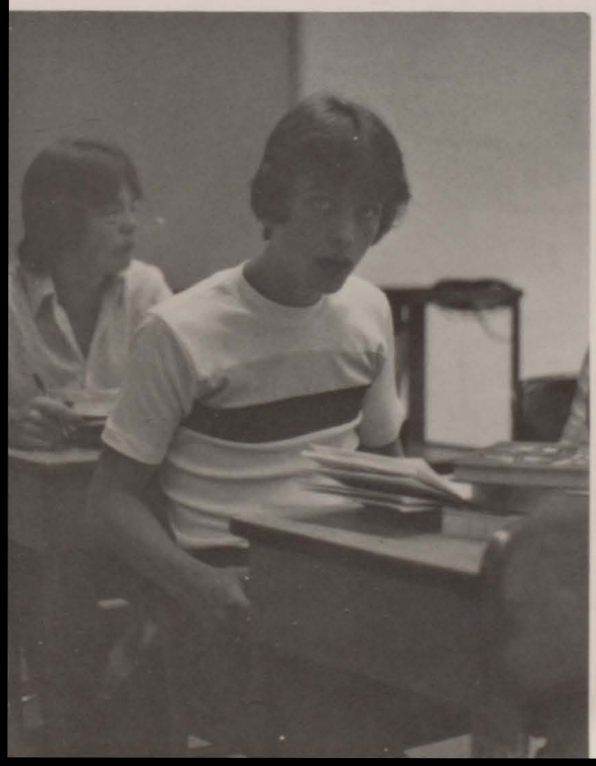

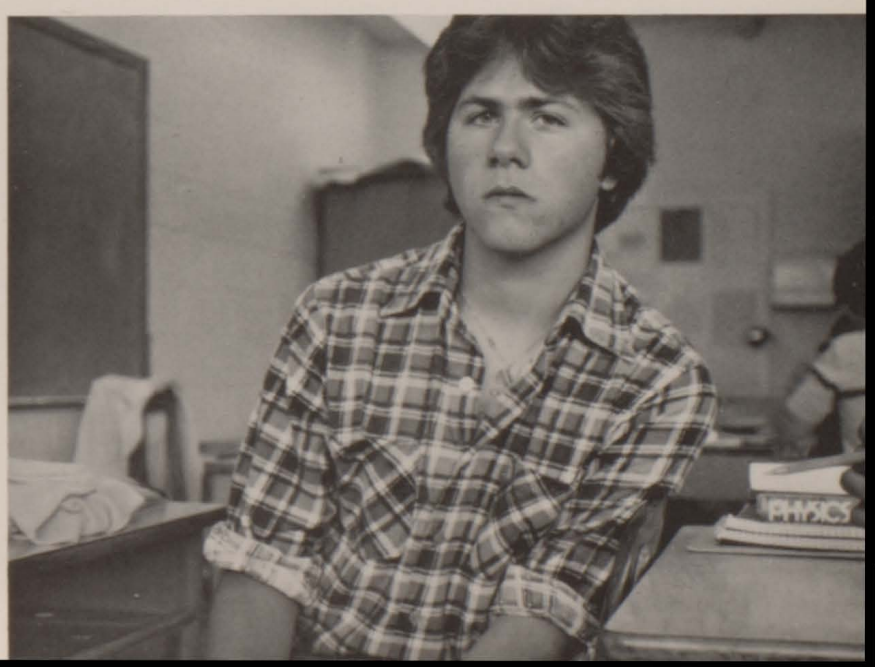

Steven Thomas, President

Laura Froio, Vice-president

Junior Class Politicians

Our second year at R.F.A. has been a successful and a rewarding one. For Homecoming Weekend our class produced an outstanding float and sponsored the semi-formal. Our next big project was the Talent Show, and then on to the Junior Prom held at Twin Pond's. My officers and I would like to personally thank every Junior who participated in the class activities this year. Special thanks go to our Advisor, Mr. John Gannon, for his co-operation and assistance throughout the year.

Steve Thomas

Katherine Campbell, Secretary

Karen Flanders, Treasurer

Mrs. Adams 141
Front: Robin Bachhuber, Cheryl Bacher, Becky Allyn, Valerie Allen, Lori Allen, Susan Allison, Marc Anderson. *Middle:* Roy Austin, Brian Abbe, Tracy Albert, Dawn Alessi, David Baerman, Mark Bailey, Mary Babcock, David Anderson, Norman Babcock. *Back:* Danny Abbuhl, Bill Auricchio, Jeff Austin, Pat Adolphi, Donna Angelo, Cathy Armstrong, *Absent:* Wayne Baker

Mr. Angelo 304
Front: Hella Beuschell, Patricia Barr, Janet Barber, Rene Barber, Mary Beddia, Sharon Baldigo, Robin Bidinger, Chris Bertling, Rosemary Bellamy, Angela Bartolotti, Rene Bartlett, Laurie Beach, *Back:* Charles Balog, Joe Bigalow, Tony Barbis, Edwin Belden, Bob Barone, Ray Baynard, William Ball.

Mr. Bielec 306
Front: Kim Breton, Roxanne Bowers, Cathy Brennan, Robin Breault, Debbie Blackburn, Debby Bolden, Jane Bramley, Susan Bottrell, Cheryl Bravo, Joan Borissow. *Back:* Lynn Brady, Carmen Bottini, Mark Brandal, Scott Boylston, Jeff Bowers, Mark Blair, Frank Borbely, Ed Blackall, Kris Bird. *Absent:* Ron Blanchard.

Mr. Burlison 134
Front: Cliff Campau, Tina Carrado, Lisa Cataldo, Dawn Causey, Belinda Bark, Debbie Chadbourne, Kathy Campbell, Cindy Calabrese, Julie Calder, Rick Castro. *Back:* Stanley Bark, Clarissa Burk, Darlene Burk, Noreen Burk, Bill Cameron, Carey Carter, Nick Butch, David Burns, Richard Calidonna, Jim Chase, Andre Caranchio, Frank Brognano. *Absent:* Jennie Chance, Joe Calcara.

Ms. Byrne 228
Front: Lisa Cooper, Amber Conner, Mary Ann Conover, Bob Chen, Thomas Corigliano, Bary Cosimeno, Loretta Childs. *Middle:* Tony Cimo, Mark Cianfrocco, Judy Cianfrocco, Dave Chmielewski, Paul Chiltokowski, Teresa Coluccio, Marla Coluccio, Sylvia Corkey. *Back:* Tom Clark, Gary Cingranelli, Joe Ciaccia, Mark Colangelo, Doug Chmielewski, Richard Coriale, Karen Cheney, Karen Coluccio, Mary Ruth Coote. *Absent:* Paul Chmielewski, Carol Cooney.

Mrs. Calicchia 325
Front: Nanette Defrancesco, Tiffany Darr, Judy Cotroneo, Julie Cramp, Milana DeBella, Thesse Dauback, Karen DeSimone, Lauri Currier, Eva Dauback, Melissa Crawford, Terri Demario. *Back:* Eric Decker, John Costello, Reggie Cyrus, Paul Darcangelo, Gary Delnero, Tony DeJean, Julius DeSimone, Lori Delvecchio, Barb Dahn, Elizabeth D'ambrosi, Joyce Davis, Andy DeCarolis.

Ms. Casanova 311

Front: Ned Dowd, Joan Doyle, Elizabeth Doyle, Jeri Dickinson, Mary Lou Dolan, Diana Donai, Lori Dougall, Eleanor Hakic, Diane Draper, Karen Dolan, Rene Dickson. *Back:* Mark Eggan, Kim Ettinger, Don Durgan, John Doucette, Frank Domenico, Peggy Enos, Sheri Dokken, Mark Eldred, Sebastian Domenico, Tom Esposito, Harry Elver. *Absent:* Marianna Di Paolo, Anna Dolby, Roger DuPont, Denise Eastup.

Ms. Cianca 142

Front: Mary Jo Fisher, Bevann Evans, Betty Jo Filey, Terry Flint, Lisa Ferrare, Linda Evans, Kim Flanigan, Barb Evans, Michele Eychner. *Back:* Jodie Fillipponi, Patricia Finn, Jeff Fitsik, Jim Flick, Shawn Flores, Bruce Finster, Frank Ferlo, Jeff Fallon, Lorn Ferguson, Kyle Farnsworth. *Absent:* Paul Falitico, Jamie Farrar, Lorrie Farrar, Libby Feola, Brett Field.

Mr. Corredine 145

Front: Karen Freeman, Meri Page Gerling, Sandra French, Scott Gardner, Donald Geary, John Frasca, Diana Gallucci, Diane Galluppi, Shelley Fragapane, Laura Froio, Patricia Giannico, Patricia Gleba. *Back:* Lisa Frank, Michael Getty, John Gallaher, Mark Goetz, Mark Freeman, Paul Goetz, Fred Fowler, Jeffrey Gaffey, Arlene Giczkowski, Agnes Gladwin, David Gamboni, Mark George. *Absent:* Laurie Fuller

Mrs. Cupak 232

Front: Sherrie Griffiths, Mary Kay Gromelski, Tracy Hall, Mary Gray, Christine Hall, Lisa Gurley, John Grissiono, Terry Gowett, Lisa Grago, Mark Gualtieri, Valerie Grinnell. *Back:* Art Hallman, Bob Gorman, Bob Grube, Jim Grifasi, Chris Harney, Don Goodman, Lisa Grasso, Al Guggi, Patti Goodwin, Donna Halupka. *Absent:* Cathy Harrington, Mark Grifasi, Mike Haunfelner.

Mr. DeSantis 214

Front: John Haywood, Joyce Jalynski, Sue Hawkins, Kathy Hedding, Denise Holtz, Brenda Hoehn, Rochelle Hawkins, Paul Hyde. *Middle:* Lisa Janes, Dawn Hughes, Pat Hurley, Candice Jarosz, Barbara Jarosz, Shelly Hawkins, Lisa Haynes, Kelly Hayner. *Back:* Jeff Scott, Mark Iodice, Ted Houseman, Mike Huckless, Henry Harry, Lan Herrick, Dan Hickey, Jeff Herber, Tom Iourno, Brent Holmes.

Miss Griffin 202

Front: Caroline Kiepprin, Nancy Jones, Kim Kimmel, Linda Jones, Stephanie Johnson, Kandi Kline, Lynne Jordan, Ruth Kaskoun, Lori Kiser, Donna Kim, Wendy Joyce, Darlene Kirk, Cathy Johnson, Karen King. *Back:* Edwin Kindler, Larry Jordan, Kyle Jones, Jim Jarvi, Jim Kelly, Kyle Kimmel, Joe Kelly, Tom Kerin, Leon Johnson, Keith Kessler. *Absent:* Mike Kenny, Ross Keeping.

Mr. Landau 329

Front: Cynthia Lane, Nancy Lombino, Vicki Lodge, Carol Lenaghen, Bobby Kobito, Steve Lippy. *Middle:* Paul Lambert, Amy Koening, Harry Lewis, Daniel Landry, Anne Levick, Lynn Kolhepp, Rhonda Lichtenberger, Laura Loso, Richard Lane. *Back:* Bernard Lubeck, David Longo, Mark Lauer, Brianna Lawter, Gena Leichtman, Pam Lennon, Alonzo Lewis, Albert Lopez. *Absent:* Joanne Korzenski, Janet Livingston, Teresa Labouef, Denise Leffert.

Mrs. Maio 320

Front: Wendy McLoughlin, Jeanette Maggio, Lorrie Matt, Shirley McElhaney, Katie McCabe, Masae McLellan, Nancy McClintock, Lisa Marchwinski, Jean MacEntee, Dawn Marker, Mary Ann Marquette, Lynn Magnanti. *Back:* James McEwen, Jack Maurer, Jeff Martin, Dave McDonald, Joel McGarvey, Mike Macking, John McGarvey, Rick Machanic, Andy Madonia, Russell Martin, Jeff McFadden.

Mrs. L. Mammone 331

Front: Mary K. Miller, Gwynne Mead, Tammy Mosca, Theresa Merchant, Jocelyn Moselle, Laurie Militello, Billie Jo Megerell, Lynn Money, Karen Morgan, Betty Mizgala. *Back:* Mike Mokry, John Miller, Mark McMonagle, Tom Medlin, Mike Mortis, Frank Mellace, John Mecca, Mike Montalbano, David Moonan. *Absent:* Robin Mortis, Keith Morrow, Jerome Moses.

Mr. Mazzaferro 302

Front: Rick Nicholas, Christopher Olney, Steve Nardozza, Mark Neidig, Sharon Mounts, Tim Nellenbach. *Middle:* Kim Nosel, Marcia Moshier, Linda Northrup, Wendy Northrup, Linda Mullin, Kathleen O'Donnell, Christine Nickerson, Roger Noone. *Back:* Scott O'Connell, Kyle Mumpton, Andrew Olney, Kevin Newton, Paul Olney, Galen Nephew, Douglas Noxon. *Absent:* Trina Moyer, Dawn Newman.

Miss Melick 333

Front: Antoinette Pacicca, Paula Peaslee, Sue Orr, Marie Petrucci, Liz Page, Eileen O'Shaughnessy, Patty Peknik, Stacy Peck, Sherri Peck, Patty Peters, Pam Petrie, Debbie Palaka, Kathy Perry. *Back:* Doug Parker, Jim Orr, Tim O'Meara, Dean Pearson, Tom Parry, Greg Palmer, David Owen, Joe Ott, Ed Parker, Doug Pendorf. *Absent:* Lisa Peterpaul, Jamie Pelton, Janet Pelton, Doug Pelton, Joe Payne.

Mr. Mickler 224

Front: Mary Pino, Denice Pratt, Tina Pisano, Bonnie Platt, Francis Porter, Jeffrey Race, Michelle Pinti, Joseph Putrello, Steven Pierce, Robert Pinti, Fiore Polera. *Back:* Debra Pugh, Dalia Ramos, Lisa Plumley, Jewel Rambo, Elaine Rambo, Edward Rakowski, David Pettinelli, Greg Pless, Todd Race, Christopher Plumley, John Provenzano, Rodger Potocki, Todd Pinti. *Absent:* Dawn Plumley.

Ms. Miller 136

Front: Roberta Rapke, Renee Rosch, Kim Rossi, Renee Rollins, Amy Rich, Roy Rardin, Joe Roser, Tim Regan, William A. Rossi. *Middle:* Colleen Reilly, Kirsten Reiner, David Rizzo, David Rivera, Frank Ripa, Robert Raymond, Bruce Randle, Chris Reynolds, William P. Rossi. *Back:* Tom Regan, Joseph Rappa, Alan Ringland, Scott Rice, Ratha Reynolds, Kate Rohland, Marc Ross.

Mrs. Moselle 314

Front: Chris Salisbury, Kevin Russell, Joe Rubino, Doug Savoy, Kelly Sarbaugh, Pat Schuler, Primo Sabatini, David Sansenbach. *Middle:* Mary Ann Salce, Frank Sauermann, Beth Ryan, Mike Sanzone, Richard Safarz, Joe Schillaci, Ed Schwartz, Steve Sawicki, Israel Sanchez. *Back:* Sam Sanzone, Kevin Seiple, Mike Secor, Scott Russell, Dusty Rowland, Mike Rovall, Joyce Schultz, Pam Schuler, Maria Schofield. *Absent:* Cathy Sacco.

Mr. Newman 144

Front: Robert Sherwood, Jeff Smith, Lynn Service, Cathy Skea. *Middle:* Sheri Smaldon, Renee Seymour, Jackie Setrin, Penny Skaehill, Karen Sherwood, Cheryl Smith, Aprile Sharpe, Leslie Smith, Diane Sipma, Christie Sessions. *Back:* Gail Sjoblom, Teresa Sjoblom, Geoff Shulkin, Chris Simons, Joe Serino, Tom Serino, John Smith, Gertrude Schitz, Betty Scuzz, Rebecca Smith, Deborah Smith. *Absent:* Derek Skidmore, Beverly Smith.

Mrs. M. Rich 335

Front: Richard Stropp, Larry Tarazano, James Steinkirchner, Jeff Streifert, Holly Steagall, Tracy Sterling, Leslie Swancott, Angela Tallarino, Deborah Stephan, Mary Suleski, Dan Swinney. *Back:* Mark Spadafora, Joe Stutler, Scott Stephan, Phil Spoor, Tom Swerdan, Matt St. Thomas, Jim Souva, Jack Sykes, Tom Tallarino, Eric Stivers. *Absent:* Brian Snyder, Cindy Stolo, Jeff Sutton.

Mr. Ruby 321

Front: Chris Troutman, Scott Tardugno, Tony Tardugno, Dan Toepp, Brad Taylor. *Middle:* Carol Toczek, Kim Troutman, Chris Thayer, Manuel Tavares, Mike Thomas, Bill Thacker, Bill Tuttle, Doug Turner, Joe Tomassi. *Back:* Linda Turner, Barb Tefft, Lori Treonze, Diane Trophia, Robin Taylor, Darrell Thomas, Steve Thomas, Mike Terenzetti, Harry Lipschitz, Ross Tuzzolino, Frank Tardugno. *Absent:* Tito Taylor, Karen Tomaino.

Mrs. Sorrentino 146

Front: Gina Versace, Kelly VanWagenen, Bonnie Watson, Sue Washburn, Sharon Vittorello, Kellie Walsh, Michele Vescio, Debbie Waite, Bob Voelcker, Randy Ward. *Back:* Pat Varano, Chris Verrenti, Stephanie Vickers, Lee Uvanni, Lynne Waterman, Michelle Venneau, Dan Voelker, Ed Walker, David Washington, Tom Urtz, Pat Waters.

Mrs. Viviani 135
Front: Tom Wills, Sue Welch, Lisa Wheeler, Lisa Willis, Missy Young, Debbie Weston, Eileen Weeks, Valerie Wood, Jeff Wells, Wendy Wuthrich. *Back:* Dan Williams, Tom Zbiegien, David Winner, Mike Zbiegien, Bob Wolff, Mark West, Bill Wolff, Mark Weeks, Scott Wittman, Mark Zakala, Jeff Wilkerson, Brian Woodard, Jill Williams.

Mrs. Hilow 234
Mark Bratge, Donna Crescenzi, Paul Van Slyke, Tina Toft, Felicia Riolo, Michael Agnone, Chuck Grimm.

Mr. Renzi 218
Karen Flanders, Sandra Reilly, Lydia Kan, Judy Hallenbeck, Jack Bentley, Julia Smith, Cynthia Vetrone, Joe Shear.

Albert Krup, President

Gary Sauer, Vice-president

Maria Orbinati, Secretary

Sophomore Class Politicians

The R.F.A. Sophomore Class Officers would like to thank teachers, parents, and fellow students for giving their help and co-operation in the following projects which have been held this year: Our float competition, carwashes, dances, slave auction, and all other class-related activities.

All of the Officers, along with our advisor, Mr. Jacobowitz, have given much time and effort for our class this year. We hope future class officers and participants will follow our example for the Class of 1982's remaining two years here at R.F.A.

Rene Blasi, Treasurer

Mr. Adey 201
Front: Michael Albert, Shelley Barber, Colleen Abel, Carolyn Alther, Anna Agosto, Lisa Barber, Carolyn Barnett, Cynthia Baptiste, Sheree Balcavage. *Middle:* Thomas Barber, Michael Alquire, Howard Annis, Jill Atkins, Michael Baker, John Ballard, Steve Aldrich, Raymond Barrett. *Back:* David Barnard, Terri Austin, Jeff Amidon, Joe Amidon, James Barbato, Mark Anderson, Thomas Bailey, Anthony Angoti, Michael Badoloto.

Mrs. Austin 128
Front: John Bereza, Michael Blinn, Andre Bertrand, Pat Bentley, Edward Bator, Elaine Barone, Charles Beckwith, *Middle:* James Bidwell, June Bendfeldt, Amy Bartell, Kimberly Bath, Rene Blasi, Barbara Beede, Deborah Basham, Patricia Bennett. *Back:* Robert Beckwith, Mark Blocher, Bob Bialobreski, Leonard Benedetto, Ian Billings, Todd Blood. *Absent:* Timothy Bates, Donna Beall, Gary Bielby.

Mr. Bloomquist 307

Front: Adrianne Briggs, Polly Boshart, Angela Burton, Kathy Brandel, Colleen Brady, Denise Borruso, Eric Brantingham, Kirk Cadrette, Ralph Calvani, David Cadrette, David Brown, Eric Brechbill. *Back:* Gary Bottini, James Brown, Mike Caifa, Chris Burke, Don Boulerice, Amy Bruce, Bill Bristol, Lisa Brundage, Curtis Bryant, Ron Bunal, Dale Burgin.

Mr. Boardman 221

Front: Robert Causey, Steven Carman, Anna Catalano, Darleen Carney, Eileen Carney, Tracy Chamberlain, Amy Carrier, Shari Carpenter, David Carollo, John Castro, Lynne Castro, Jill Campanaro. *Back:* Mr. Boardman, Susan Caron, Sandra Carro, Ron Cardwell, Mike Carro, Frank Cania, Derrick Cameron, Eric Centro, Darren Carter, James Chance, Kelley Carrier, Keith Campbell, Joe Cascarano, Scott Carpenter. *Absent:* Raymond Campbell.

Mr. Campola 207
Front: Tim Clark, Danielle Clarke, Christy Cihocki, Debbie Cole, Marisa Ciccotti, Cathy Chapman, Lisa Cleckner. *Middle:* Donna Colangelo, Christy Colangelo, Kim Ciotti, Jackie Chmielewski, Cheri Chase, Debbie Colp, Donna Chiles, MaryLou Chilkotowsky, Eliz Chiles. *Back:* Charles Collins, Robert Christie, Mike Colangelo, Raleigh Chilton, Manny Clothakis, Fred Chiles, John Cignarale. *Absent:* Deanna Christie, Laurie Clark, Dave Colangelo.

Mrs. Clancy 120
Front: Dan Danti, Joe Corigliano, Mike Correia, Bill Corr, Laurie Croasdale, Pam Corgliano, Marcia Davidson, LuAnn D'amore, Mary Danti, Lauri Crawford, Diane Danielski. *Back:* Scott Dangerfield, Gary Czerski, Mark Daniello, Sal Costello, George Coppola, Charlie Currier, Everett Cronizer, Audrey Cupples, Sheila Countryman. *Absent:* Bill Croucher, Lela Cull.

Ms. Coughlin 301

Front: Laurie DePasquale, Angela DePasquale, Janine Dickinson, Shari Diamond, Bonnie Dekin, Deanna DeFrancesco, Dean Dickinson. *Middle:* Joe DeBlasiss, Bill DeCarolis, Tim Davis, David Delpico, Diana DeMatteo, Curtis Dewey, David DiBari, Janice Destito. *Back:* Carrie Destito, Jay DiMaggio, Jeff Delutis, Aaron Davis, Deon Dittimus, Dorothy DeLong, Sue DeBonzo. *Absent:* Steven DeHimer, Maurice Dittimus, Geselle DeMatteo, Rene Denton.

Miss DiMarco 125

Front: Kathy Donovan, Alison Duesler, Colleen Dowd, Constance Dorn, Belinda Ellingsworth, Denise Doucette, Kathleen Doyle. *Middle:* Leonard Edge, Kerry Dolan, Sue Ehrenfried, Shari Dougall, Steve Edick, Frederick Drake, Rebecca Dutcher, Ruth Durgan, Karen Dupont. *Back:* Robert Doty, Robert Dorn, Michael Edwards, Thomas Duell, Shaun Edick, Pennell Eckert, Terrance Dolan. *Absent:* Lauri Drake.

Mr. Durgee 121

Front: Steve Feldman, Ted Ferlo, Bruce Entelisano, Vincent Fiorenza, Joseph Fiorenza, Viginia Fitch, JoAnn Filey, Lori Esposito, Bronwyn Field, Sharon Feldman, Richard Ferrucci, Joe Ferrare, Joe Feole, Barb Entelisano. *Back:* Daryl Ferguson, Patricia Fenton, Sally Fontana, Dion Fields, Thomas Fitzgerald, Foster Fahey, Dominic Fields, Patricia Enos, JoAnn Finn, Richard Eseh, Bill Falk, David Fiore, Charles Enfinger, Jeff Flick.

Mr. Gannon 12A

Front: Gina Giachetti, Ann Maria Froio, Donna Fox, Mark Fuller, Joel Gallagher, Dawn Gadwaw, Susan Gallagher, Patty Gemedscheiw, Lori Gawarecki, Pamela Getman. *Back:* Denise Frazier, Steven Giglotti, Mike Fuller, Jim Garofolo, John Gerace, Ward Gillette, Scott Gobrick, Kent Furry, Garce Ganett, Robin Fuller.

Mr. Giamporcaro 205

Front: Justine Gubbins, Jean Harney, Kelly Gorman, Linda Gorman, Sue Hackert, Leslie Groff, Andrea Gromelski, Jill Goetz, Sandy Goetz, Chris Graves, Gina Grasso, Chris Gullo, Kevin Haber, Jeff Gualandi. *Back:* Fred Goodman, Joel Guy, Patty sen, John Grogan, Mark Hall, Sheldon Harrison, Craig Guy, Gary Hammond, Jim Hall, John Grider, Chris Hackett, John Grant, Mike Hall.

Mr. Giardino 209

Front: Tracy Hoffmeister, Ricky Haynes, Gail Hoffman, Laura Hill, Michelle Holdbrook, Dawn Havens, Karen Henry, Mike Hayden, Frederick Henze. *Back:* Mary Hluska, Paul Harrington, Joseph Hojnacki, James Harris, Terri Haynes, Russell Hayes, Thomas Herber, Dale Hedding, Pat Hetherington, David Harris, Raul Hernandez, William Hoffmeister.

Mr. Gifford 12B

Front: Jill Hunt, Danalia Husband, Joanne Johnson, Kristine Hurd, Karen Hughes. *Middle:* Steve Jackson, Sue Hovey, Tracey Hull, Julie Hughes, Anna Iozzo, Joy Hugo, Charles Hunt. *Back:* Thomas Howard, Keith Hugo, Jim Hyde, Charles House, Duane Howery, Marty Howard, Ken Irvin, Herman Johnson, Bill Jarvi, Jeff Holzberger. *Absent:* Kanungnit Johnson, Michael Jeror, James Janes.

Mr. Hayes 322

Front: Lori Joyce, Laurie Knoblock, Donna Lattanzio, Pauline Kirk, Doris Landry, Laura Kesselman, Stacy Kline, Kathleen Kalin, Judith Kipfer, Mary Kaskoun, Kristine Jones, Karen Kehoe, Theresa LaGasse. *Back:* Frank Lamandia, David Kelley, Edward LaMonica, Christopher Klara, Francis LaMont, James Laughinghouse, Douglas Kondella, Stephen Jones, Angelica Knowles, Theodore Kistner, Jay Lauber. *Absent:* Darrell Leach.

Mr. Jacobowitz 13A

Front: Kelly Lewis, Ann Marie Lovett, Dina Lerman, Maria Maltese, Robin Marineau, Stephanie Luke, Barrie Marcellus, Ramona Lloyd, Debbie Lyau, Chris Lorusso. *Middle:* Maria Orbinati, Kathy Mallard, Tim Lince, Mike Lovett, Richard Lusby, Mike Lucchesi, Dean Litchenberger, Dana Mansfield. *Back:* Jack Libertino, Al Krup, Rick Lucas, Jeff Lyons, James Lee, Tim Longway, Lincoln Marks. *Absent:* Kurt Loson, Tina Lounello, Barbara Macentee, Valerie Mantelli, Mark Malorzo.

Mr. Kenny 105

Front: Steve Matt, Tom Matt, Christopher Matteson, Michele Mitchell, Farah Mason, Lesa Martineau. *Back:* Michael Masucci, John Martini, Robert Marlar, Cathy Mastraccio, Renee Martin.

Mr. Kunkel 310

Front: Betty McGrath, Cheryl Mellon, Pamela Mazzacua, Jannine McEwen, Denise Mercurio, Julie Mead, Tina McDaniel, Lorri Mercurio, Marie Medick, Ivene McCoy, Linda Melnick, Susan McDonough. *Back:* Randall Mazzacua, Ronald Mennecke, Ronald McMichael, Garrett Mead, William McCormick, Peter Merchant, Sean McLaughlin, John McCaffrey, Orin McDermid, Edward Mehl, Lawrence McKito. *Absent:* Jodi McChargue, Tracy McMahon.

Mr. Landset 152

Front: Kelly Murphy, Carol Murphy, Lynda Mortis, Maria Montalbano, Renee Metzger, Kelly Monette. *Middle:* Antony Millington, Craig Mumpton, Debbie Miskell, Cliff Mezza, Doug Monroe, Dean Montopoli, David Modey, Kathy Morrow. *Back:* Dale Mishler, Maria Migliori, Dawn Mizer, Nancy Murling, Roberta Morrell, Faith Miller.

Mr. Martinez 101

Front: Michelle Nagurney, Maria Nouola, Donald Nichols, Jim Norman, Donald Nemecek, James Olney, Linda O'Neal, Leslie Noreli. *Middle:* Jackie Orbinati, Liz Nuccio, Deirdre Nagy, Chris Newton, Kim Nellenbach, Reyne Nasto, Theresa O'Connell, Valerie Noone, Debbie Netzband. *Back:* Jeff Netzinger, William Olney, John Nagurney, Michael O'Connor, William Newberry, Scott Nolan, Scott Olney, Dale Occhipinti.

Miss Osborne 152

Front: Ann Peroni, Carol Pallas, Lisa Pettinelli, Beth Panara, Dana Pierce, Lynn Pantzer, Lee Palermiti, Randy Pelton, Jeff Panara, Ed Petrucci. *Back:* Lisa Page, Dawn Perry, Linda Ott, Randy Pallas, Jim Perkins, Paul Pelton, John Passacantando, Jim Pekarski, John Pasqualetti, Eric Phillips, Scott Parsons. *Absent:* Lisa Pacicca.

Mrs. Petrucci 223

Front: Patty Pratt, Tisia Procopio, Steven Puma, Beverly Prosser, Steve Preputnik, Rhonda Pycior, Mary Beth Portley. *Middle:* Pam Platis, Ty Prince, Chris Pomilio, Bill Pritchard, Randy Prosser, Jim Potocki, Luke Pomilio, Diane Pina. *Back:* Jamie Pomilio, Karla Pomilio, Parrish Puente, Laurie Puglio, Nancy Pierce, Lori Pugh, Pam Pierce. *Absent:* Doug Piersma, Dennis Plumley, Rhonda Pycior.

Mrs. Rossi 106

Front: Bridget Reid, Roger Retzlaff, Vincent Ragonese, Ann Reader, Margaret Riedel, Maria Raygo, Shelley Reilly, Lorine Reilly, Kathleen Randall, Neal Randle, Anne Quinn. *Back:* Diane Rabidou, Chaiyapor Reynolds, William Reckentine, John Riemondy, Betty Riggleman, Kevin Quentin, Alex Recchio, Mark Richards, Robert Richie, Riccardo Reeves, Robert Ripp, John Regan. *Absent:* Marie Raulli, Brenda Reader, Nick Riolo.

Ms. Scharf 327

Front: Susan Samad, Debra Sanchez, Jill Rolewicz, Susan Savak, Lynda Rolston, Anna Beth Roberts, Rose Marie Robley, Shelly Romleski, Joann Roehm, June Roehm, Kim Savoy, Cathy Russell. *Back:* Bonnie Ryan, Paula Rubino, Rhonda Rotach, Andy Savoie, Dan Rivera, Jeanine Robertson, Tom Rolka, Dean Rivera, Bill Robertson, Vito Sanzone, Gary Sauer. *Absent:* Lisa Rizio, Jeff Robison, Pat Rooney, Marie Sanzone, Gina Rossi.

Mr. Smith 216

Front: Robert Shugrue, Bill Seigler, Steve Sezna, Charlie Selover, Mark Schofield. *Middle:* Robin Secor, Mary Sheen, JoAnn Schipano, Jean Seigler, Katrina Schaller, Marianne Shepard, Steve Scherer. *Back:* Dale Seigler, Mike Shackelford, Dave Semo, Eric Schryer, Bernie Shannon, Ricky Sherwood, Steve Sidway. *Absent:* Lisa Scalero, Andrea Seymour, Francis Simiele, Susan Seaton.

Mr. Swartout 308

Front: Denise Stagner, Denise Sonustun, Darlene Sonustun, Ayesha Smith, Mary Skibitzki, Christina Spada, Isabelle Squadrito. *Middle:* Sally Smaldon, Cindy Skrhak, Sheila Smith, Munda Staneck, Cheryl Smith, Michele Spohn, Dawn Sjoblom. *Back:* Authur Smolinski, Michael Stachnik, James Smith, Thomas Smith, Peter Spina, Wayne Spoor, Mark Southard. *Absent:* Wendy Snyder.

Mrs. Tanny 104

Front: Kelly Sunderland, Kathy Stivers, Ann Strany, Harry Sykes, April Stasio, Lisa Sterpka, Paulette Steele, Robin Stirpe, Gina Tallarino, Jodi Tagliaferri, Mary Swarts. *Back:* Joel Tamburino, Scott Smith, Jim Sweet, Brett Staple, Jay Swancott, Jerry Stewart, Kurt Staple, Steve Swancott, Shaun Sutton, Ricky Sticca, Robert Start.

Mr. Terenzetti 130
Front: Joe Trousdale, Becky Theall, Lenny Tardugno, Kathy Tucker, John Thompson, Joe Tenace, Dale Trexler *Middle:* Brian Thomas, Mike Thomas, Roxanne Tebo, Dori Tauroney, April Tomasik, Lori Thomas, Donna Tessien, Lance Tardugno, John Tavares. *Back:* Vinnie Thompson, Bob Taylor, Mark Treonze, Carman Thompson, John R. Thompson, Bob Targosz, Miles Thompson, Cindy Tibbett.

Mrs. A. Tidd 102
Front: Brenda Turner, Tracy VanWagonen, Pam Uvanni, Peggy Tuzzolino, Angela Vinci, Renee Underwood, Louann Viscosi, Karen Voeckler, Kris Voelker, Laura VanSlyke, Angela Varano, Robin Turley. *Back:* Bill VanPatten, Debbie Urbanski, Beth Vittorello, Phil Verrenti, Mark VanDresar, Bruce VanVechten, Jack Turner, Mike Vanderhoof, John VanSlyke, Jay Valentine, Tim Underwood, Guy Ventura *Absent:* Susan Valade

Mr. West 227
Front: Barbara Vogt, Anne Whelton, Martha White, Laura Welfel, Terry Welch, Joan Welker, Sheila Waters, Jean Welker, Tammy R. Watson, Tammy J. Watson, Alison White, James Wells, Francis White *Back:* Lee Weismuller, Bill Welfel, Jim Watts, David Webb, Thomas Walda, Joseph Vogel, Dean Waters, David Wedlock, Steve White, Brian Whittman, Jeffery W. Wagner. *Absent:* Bruce Waller, Craig Ward, Lori Westcott.

Mrs. Zarnock 103
Front: Brian Winterbottom, Paul Wills, Walter Williams, Robert Wilson, Dan Woodley, David Winberg. *Middle:* Nancy Wikiera, Wendy Wood, Valerie Yourdon, Andria Wilson, Sue Witchley, Mercia Wickham, Robert Wood. *Back:* Fred Wolcott, Dean Wynne, Fredric Wilson, Daniel Zanon, David Wilson, Peter Winfrey, David Zawisza, Steve Wittmann. *Absent:* Shawn Young, Paul Worlock, Dan Wilkes.

We are Santa's elves, filling Santa's shelves.

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

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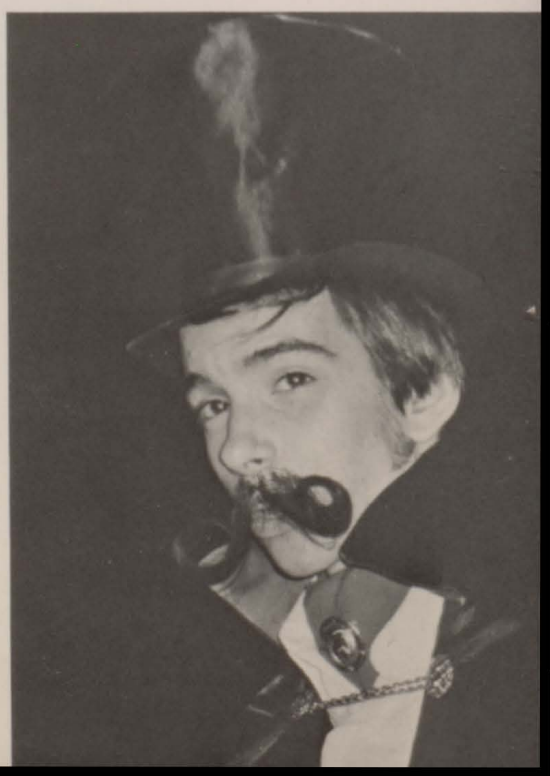


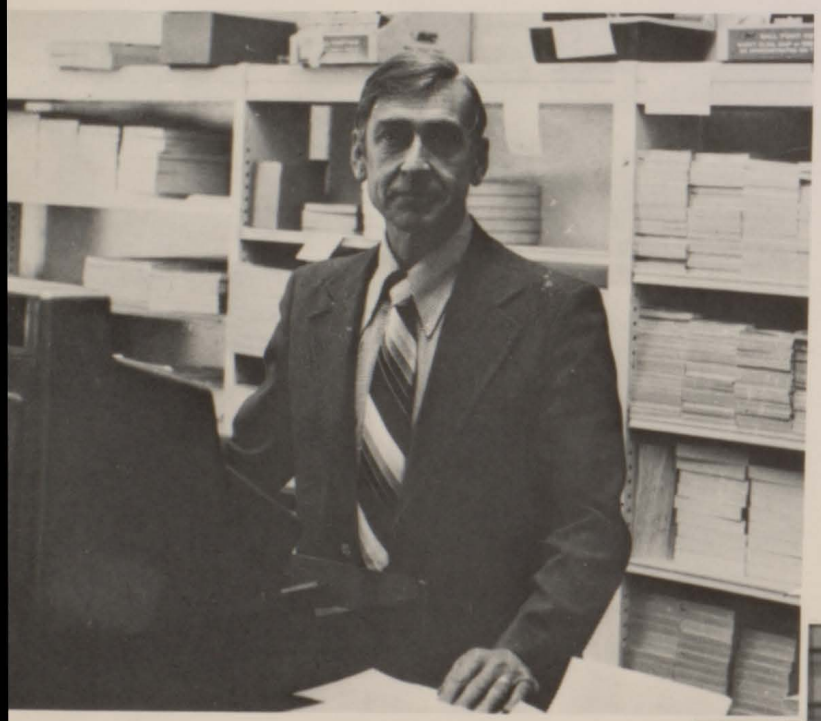
Gimme that ball . . . I'm a Senior.

Miss Americas.

RFA Radio Club

Front: Dale Burgin, Dave Winberg, Vaughn Combs, President; Jon Botler, Jay Lauber, Bob Matteson. *Back:* Charly Selover, Chris Powell, Dan Alder, Frank Polera, Chai Reynolds, Doug Monroe, Robert Christie, Guy Ventura, Mr. Youskevich, Advisor. *Absent:* Joe Little, Chuck Spindler, Kevin Newton.

The RFA Radio Club is made up of students who are interested in the radio communication service in Ham Radio. Club members recognize that amateur radio exists as a public service providing emergency and other voluntary, non-commerical communications. Amateurs also have proven an ability to advance the radio art as well as to enhance international goodwill. Amateur radio operators form a pool of trained radio operators ready to meet the needs of our country. The primary activities of the members of the radio club involve communication throughout the world from our well-equipped Ham Radio Shack located in Room 154. Our Radio Shack is available to all valid ham license holders to use any period of the day in which they are free. Mr. Renzi is the advisor.



Mr. Haunfelner, Manager

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Media Club

The Media Club is an indispensable group which is responsible for the delivery of AV equipment all over the school, every period, every day. Other members work with the books in the Media Center. Their service benefits both students and teachers. The advisors are Mr. Galin and Mrs. Beam.

Front: Joe Rubino, Kathy White, *Middle:* Scott Russell, Sherry Smith, Rosa Cabral, Scott Carpenter, Lin Reynold. *Back:* Frank Lamont, John Tavares, Judy Hallenbeck, Joe Shear, Rick Chrysler, Debbie Ludlow.

Chess Club

The Chess Club, under the direction of Mr. Gray, competes in interscholastic competitions throughout the area.

Front: Karl Lauber, Tim Lince, Mike Kahofer, Kathy White, Bill Lince. *Back:* Mary Galanti, Debbie Ludlow, Pat Laforge, Randy Brooke, Derrick Cameron. *Absent:* Joe Little, Joe Galanti, Joe Koziarz

Front: Mike Lacey, Marty Lanigan, Scott Stephens, Linda Hoehn, Kim Cadrette, Vicki Gualtieri, Gina Bottini, Donna Angelo, Tracy Albert. *Row 2:* Gary Skwarek, Jose Velez, Willie Evans, Bill Lux, Jon Sears, Chris Froio, Mike Bartlett, Daryl Alessi, Jon Williams, Tony Fragapane. *Row 3:* Robert Breton, Larry Northup, Tim Richardson, Sue Brinkman, Mike Mulkey, Karen Flanders, Roger Panara, Tricia May, Tracey Vandeveer, Leslie Prossner, Danica Wilhelm. *Row 4:* Glenn Bolyston, Tary Vanderpool, Lori Kaplan, Cathy Voelcker, Bernie Froio, Richie Bottini, Mark Rabe, Karen Valentine, Doug Watson, Donna Crescenzi. *Row 5:* Spero Haritatos, Johnita Barkauskas, Kelly Dolan, Lori Biondi, Brenda Hoehn, Dawn Alessi, Patty Barr, Holly Kehoe, Chris Hughes, Sheryl Badolato, Teresa Colucci, Mickey Jones. *Row 6:* Pete Janzen, Bill Forbes, Ed Cristman, Joyce Davis, Laura Froio, Debbie Simiele, Russell Cook, Leanna Lawter, Tammy Agans, Benny Bottini, Jon Biamonte.

Checkers Club

Student Association Homeroom Representatives

Sophomore

120—Lauri Croasdale
301—David DiBari
209—Dawn Havens
322—Karen Kehoe
13A—Barbara McEntee
105—David Martin
101—Leslie Norelli
152—Jeff Panara
223—Luke Pomilio
106—Marie Raulli
216—Lisa Scalero
130—Joseph Tenance
102—Bill VanPatten
227—Francis White
103—Sue Witchley

Junior

141—Becky Allyn
304—Kim Bartlett
306—Joan Bousson
228—Mark Cianfrocco
325—Joyce Davis
311—Liz Doyle
142—Linda Evans
145—Laura Froio
232—Mary Gray
214—Brenda Hoehn
202—Lori Kiser
234—Felicia Riolo
329—Anne Levick
320—David McDonald
302—Kyle Mumpton
333—Kathy Parry
224—John Puccio
314—Mary Ann Salce
144—Jackie Setrin
335—Tracey Sterling
321—Diane Trophia
146—Bonnie Watson
135—Valeria Wood

Senior

126—Laverne Angell
204—Gina Bottini
303—Sue Brinkman
206—Sharon Christy
225—Russell Cook
123—Bill Draper
211—Michelle Ferrari
234—Brian Kelly
323—Spero Haritatos
324—Celeste Keller
312—Leanna Lawter
328—Lisa Martinez
118—Darla Meyers
207—Roger Panara
305—Leslie Prossner
226—Ken Robinson
218—Bridget Johnson
330—Tony Scalero
203—Selina Schmidt
222—Mark Sutherland
116—Tracey Vandeveer
113—Danica Wilhelm
154—Mary Willson

Front: Cindy Vetrone, Sue Seaton, Jerri Dickinson, Jan Pietras, Mike Carro, Janine Dickinson, Shirley McElhaney. *Back:* Phil Richard, Rick Aiello, Steve White, Richard Lucas, Dean Dickinson, Brian Winterbottom, James Chance, Pauline Kirk.

Pep Club

Front: Donna Lattanzio, Denise Pratt, Donna Tessien, Robin Briggs, Audrey Cupples, Sandy Mantelli, Laura Marks. *Middle:* Carol Pallas, Cathy Johnson, Pam Platis, Kathy Doyle, Lisa Cardona, Susan Hobbs. *Back:* Richard Lucas, Kyle Farnsworth, Richard Thielke, Dave Moody, William Cameron, Randy Pelton, Greg Palmer, Rick Henze, John Ducette, Bob Sherwood, Berrie Shannon. *Absent:* Tim O'Meara, Manny Clothakis, Mike Montalbano.

Pep Band

Chorus

The Rome Free Academy Chorus performs several concerts each year. In addition to its regular Christmas, mid-winter and spring programs in the school auditorium, the singers perform in other schools and at area nursing homes. Chorus members participate in area All-State and NYSSMA Festivals on a regular basis. The group is under the direction of Mr. Rocco Vacca.

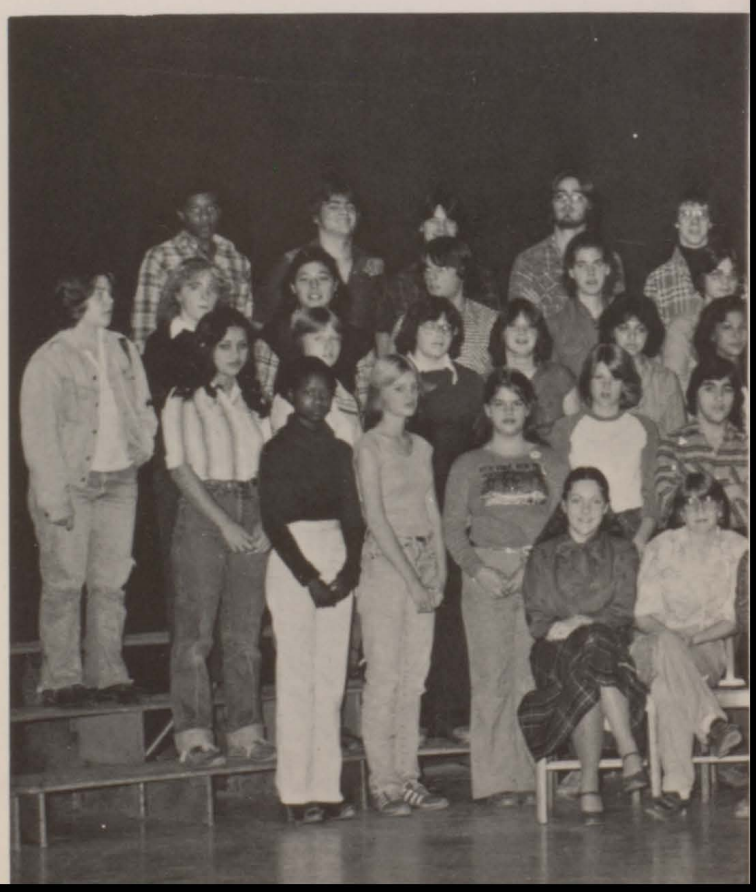
Chorus members
Evelyn Alder, Jill Atkins, Terry Austin, Randy Barber, Kim Bath, Barbara Beede, Mary Beddia, Ed Blackall, Belinda Brown, Deborah Budelman, Rosa Cabral, Christine Cavanaugh, Lori Combs, Barbara Dahn, Scott Dangerfield, Mary Donovan, Maureen Dunn, Larry Fahey, Lori Farrar, Michelle Ferrari, Mary Galanti, Christine Graves, Mary Gray, Scott Gwara, Sue Hackert, Trudy Heburn, Dawn Hughes, Christine Hurd, Bridget Johnson, Roxanne Johnson, Paul Lambert, Kim Lamonica, Gena Leichtman, Pam Lennon. Beth Maclauchlan, Valarie Mantelli, Jodi McCharque, Susan McDonough, Jeff McFadden, Becky Merrick, Deborah Miskell, William Moonan, Tammy Mosca, Theresa O'Connell, Michael O'Connor, Linda Ott, Patty Pratt, MaryBeth Portley, Mariann Provenzano, Maria Raygo, Sandra Reilly, Phil Richard, Paula Rodriquez, Joann Roehm, Holli Rossi, Kelly Sarbaugh, Ann Marie Straney, Debbie Stevens, Joe Stutler, Dan Swinney, Barbara Tefft, Carol Toczek, Michelle Totaro, Susan Valade, Daniel Voelker, David Washington, Florence Wilson, Ruth Wilson.

International Club

The International Club is made up of past and present language students wishing to expand their knowledge of the cultures of foreign countries. The advisor of the club is Mrs. Sorrentino; the officers are Patti Clancy, President; Margaret Hopkins, Vice-president; Larry Tarranzano, Secretary; Rich Recchio, Treasurer.

The big event of the year is the International Buffet Dinner in March. All language students are invited to participate and prepare a food specialty of their language country. Entertainment is provided by each language group. The dinner always proves successful and exciting.

The club's activities during the 1979-1980 school year have included such fundraising activities as candy, jewelry, and Christmas Cheeselog sales, a car wash, and a "Friendly" Ice Cream Social. Money earned through these activities will be used for a trip to Canada and/or New York in the Spring semester.



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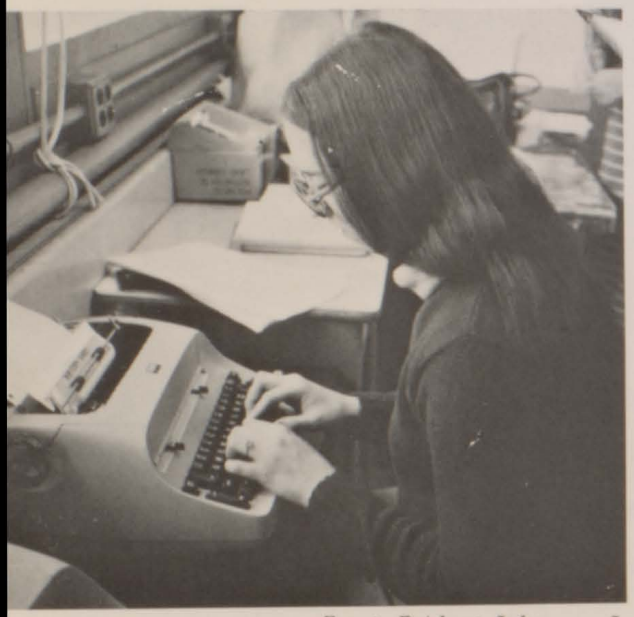

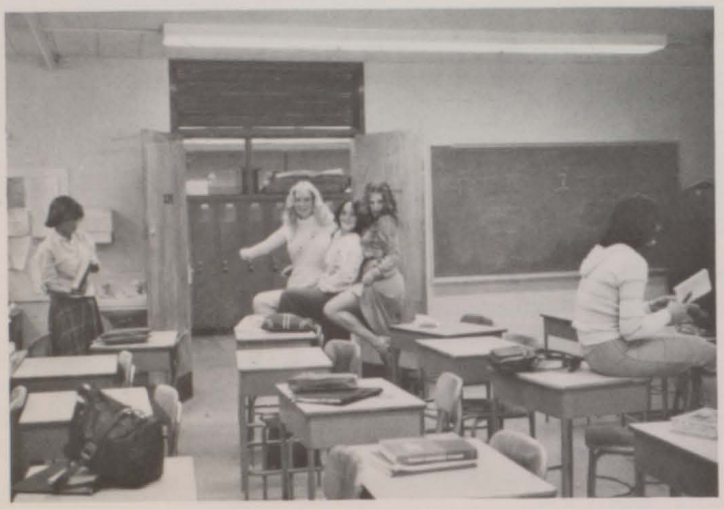

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SECT

Front: Rodney McElrath, Judy Hollenbeck, Kathy White, Linda O'Neill. *Back:* Frank LaMont, Scott Carpenter, Mike Macking, Mrs. Jackson, Advisor. *Absent:* Timothy Jaynes, Mary Gray, Susan Samad, Lesley Norelli, Jackie Orbinati, Maria Noyola, Debbie Netzband, Eric Phillips, Scott Russell.

Students Exploring Career Knowledge President, Timothy Jaynes; Vice-president, Francis LaMont; Secretary, Mary Gray; Assistant Secretary, Linda O'Neal;

The Knight Times

The 1980 school year marked the second volume of the RFA Knight Times. During the newspaper's two-year existance, each monthly issue has served to inform RFA students of current and upcoming school events, sports highlights, and to give credit to noteworthy students. In addition, the Knight Times has included feature stories, editorial opinions, and a letters column where students may express their ideas.

The Knight Times staff would like to express its sincere thanks to its advisor, Margaret Hart. A former employee of the Daily Sentinel, Miss Hart has been invaluable in guiding the staff.

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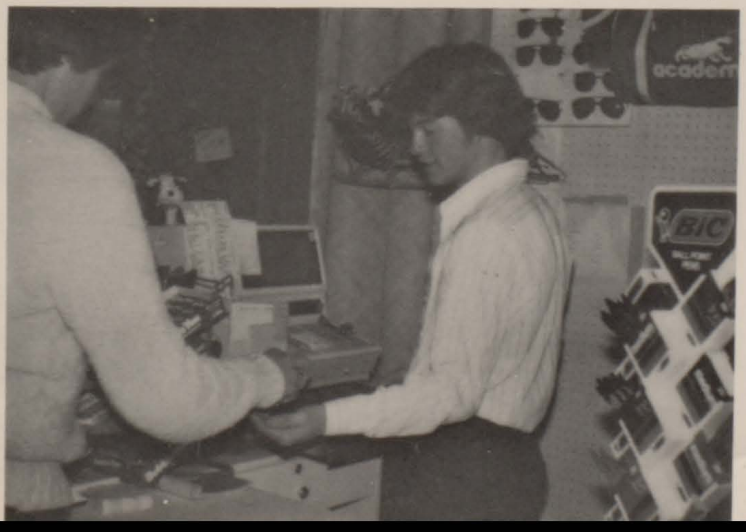
The Knight Spot

The Knight Spot is a teaching lab for students seeking careers or college degrees in business or marketing. The Advanced Marketing class operates the store doing the buying, selling, inventory, accounting, display, and maintenance. Each student receives a high school credit and pre-employment skills.

Bill Joyce



Melanie Jones

Front: Tina Carrado, Sylvia Corkey, Jewel Rambo, Lisa Doyle. *Middle:* Meri Paige Gerling, Donna Kim, Julie Smith, Theresa O'Connell, Betty Mizgala. *Back:* Kathy Morrow, Sandy Reilly, Elaine Rambo.

A.F.S.

President—Debbie Blackburn
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Front: Reyne Nasto, Katrina Schaller, Karen King, Amy Rich, Conney Dorn, Gina Grasso. *Middle:* Sherry Butters, Dawn Davidson, Bill Moonar, Mike Thomas, Dan Hickey, Dave Rizzo, Scott O'Connell, Ray Baynard. *Back:* David Moonan, Tim O'Meara, Jack Bentley, Andrew Olney.

I spent the fall semester of my junior year in the small farming town of Spring Valley, Minnesota (population 2,600). I lived with the Manley Burmeister family, and of my five new brothers and sisters only Shelley, 15, still lived at home. Although the school was small (550 students, grades 7-12), I was involved in many new activities and found the people very warm and welcoming.

I have so many wonderful memories and will always have friends and a second family in Minnesota because of my A.F.S. experience.

Deborah Budelman

A.F.S. Exchange Students

Hi! My name is Paula Rodrigues. I am from the state of Sao Paulo in Brasil, and I'm living with the Merrick family for the year. I really enjoy this country, especially Rome. Many things are different for me, such as spending a whole day in school! In Brasil I only went to school half a day (7:30 a.m. to noon). In spite of the differences, I have many friends and am enjoying the variety of activities that R.F.A. offers. I am happy to be singing with the A Capella Choir. Also, it is super to be part of the Varsity Volleyball Team.

Living in the U.S. is a wonderful opportunity for me to learn about another culture, people, and customs. I know this experience will be important to me throughout my life. Rome and R.F.A. will always be part of my happiest memories.

My thanks to everyone who made it possible for me to come here, especially my Brasilian and American families and A.F.S.

Love,
Paula Rodrigues

Orchestra

The Rome Free Academy Orchestra performs concerts throughout the year for students at the elementary schools in Rome as well as for the general public.

Members of the Orchestra may also participate through audition, for the Area-All-State Orchestra, the NYSSMA Conference, and the school musical. The director is Mrs. Mary Ellen Vacca.

Violin
Cindy Briggs
Laurie Capponi
Michelle Ferrari
Cheryl Vetrone
Margaret Hopkins
Nanette DeFrancesco
Lisa Grasso
Shari Diamond
Frank Cania
Betty McGrath
Peggy Riedel
Janine Dickinson
Shelly Romleski
Nancy Pierce
Raleigh Chilton
Paul Wills
Kathy King

Flute
Kelly Hayner
Pam Lennon
Lisa Frank

Clarinet
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Connie Dorn

Oboe
Sherri Butters
Kathy Kalin

Bassoon
Wendy Wood

Viola
Joseph Gwara
Scott Gwara
Aaron Davis

Cello
Mary Kay Rossi
Ed McDermid
Julie Smith
Rebekah Merrick
Cindy Vetrone
Mike Thomas
Roy Maitland
Kurt Staple

Bass
Tom Kerin
Al Krup

Trumpet
Tim O'Meara
Chuck Spindler
David Harris
Tom Rolka

Trombone
Ben Baldanza
Mike Thomas
Alan Davis

Tuba
Rick Thielke

French Horn
David Moonan
Ed Lim

Bass Clarient
Lydia Kan

Saxophone
Joe Schillaci
Bonnie Watson
Norma Young
Audrey Cupples

Percussion
Mike Montalbano
Mark Pick
Andy Taylor

Tympani
Derrick Cameron

Concert Band

The Concert Band, under the direction of Mr. Herbert Geller, consists of 85 talented music students. The band, which performs throughout the year starting in September, has had an outstanding year and continues to be a vital part of the music curriculum.

Front
Marcia Davidson
Sue Hobbs
Carol Pallas
Bonnie Graneiri
Lisa Cardona
Kris Jones
Tisia Procopio
Donna Lattanzio
Joanie Doyle
Row 2
Ruth Kaskoun
Colleen Dolan
Barbara Vogt
Lisa Cleckner
Robin Taylor
Cathy Johnson
Row 3
Deanna DeFrancesco
Donna Fessian
Maria Orbinanti
Denise Pratt
Sandy Mantelli
Cathy Morrow
Christy Cichocki
Sue Seaton
Denise Duchette
Cathy White
Deb Sanchez
Grace Gantt
Pam Platis
Scott Gobrick
Dan Hickey
Mike Badolato
Gina Grasso
David Lee
Rick Lucas
Mary Sheen
Lori Joyce
John Duchette
Robin Briggs
David Delpico
Mark Hluska
Jack Bentley
Jim Olney
Row 4
Tom Lane
Mike Edwards
Pam Mazzacua
Mark Schofield
Darren Carter
John Isbister
Charles Collins
Don Nemecek
Rick Flenze
David Moody
Joanne Finn
Cathy Doyle
Paul Pelton
Fred Goodman
Kyle Farnsworth
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Chris Irvine
Dennis Sexton
Bernie Marcoccia
Bill Falk
Greg Palmer
Bill Cameron
Sue Caron
Bob Sherwood
Jim Hyde
John Riemondy
Scott Smith
Ed Kindler
Dale Hedding

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Colleen Reilly
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John Isbister
Cathy Johnson
Kristine Jones

Lori Joyce
Ruth Kaskoun
Stacy Kline
Theresa Lagasse
Thomas Lane
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Ricardo Lucas
Sandra Mantelli
Bernard Marcoccia
Laura Marks
Lincoln Marks
Pamela Mazzacua
Wendy McLoughlin
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Deborah Nagy
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Pamela Platis

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Marching Band

The Rome Free Academy Marching Band highlights the football season with their dazzling halftime performances. The band is composed of 150 students including the outstanding flag majorettes, baton majorettes and the color guard. The 1979-80 Marching Band had a most successful season and was led by drum major, Bill Cameron, and directed by Mr. Herbert Geller.

Color Guard

Kneeling: Laurie Van Syke, LuAnn D'Amore. *Back:* Bill Moonan, Bridget Johnson, Widget Wilson.

Baton Majorettes

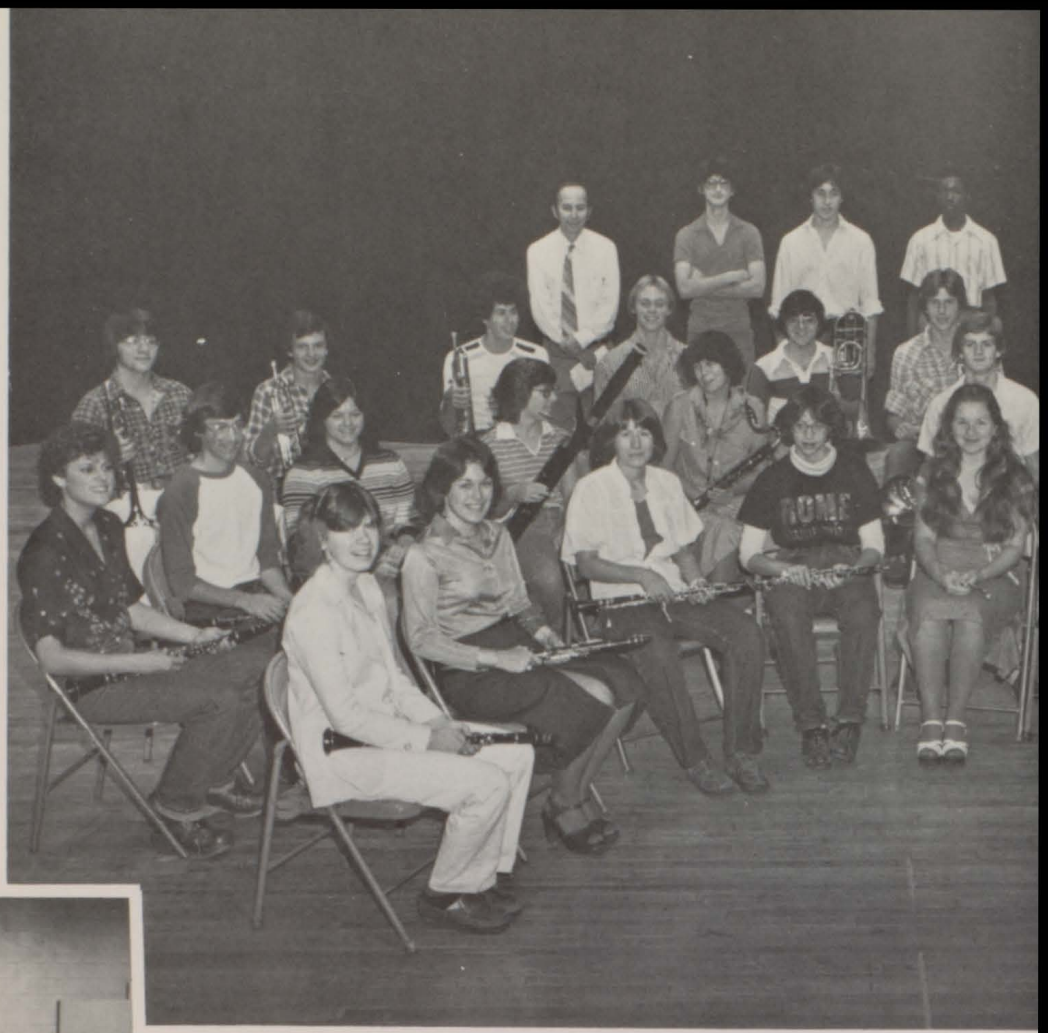
Debbie Hojnacki, Stephanie Luke

Flag Majorettes

Front: Donna Kim, Joyce Schultz, Janine Dickinson. *Middle:* Tina Carrado, Betty McGrath, Shelly Romleski. *Back:* Darlene Kirk, Danica Wilhelm, Cheri Christy, Ann Reader. Mrs. Katie Rolka and Mrs. Louise Lerman coached the majorettes.

Wind Ensemble

The Wind Ensemble is a performing group made up of forty talented instrumentalists. The Ensemble, under the direction of Herbert Geller, performs at concerts throughout the year and has earned a reputation for its excellence.



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Union Brass

Ben Baldanza, David Moonan, Rick Thielke, Ed Lim, Tim O'Meara

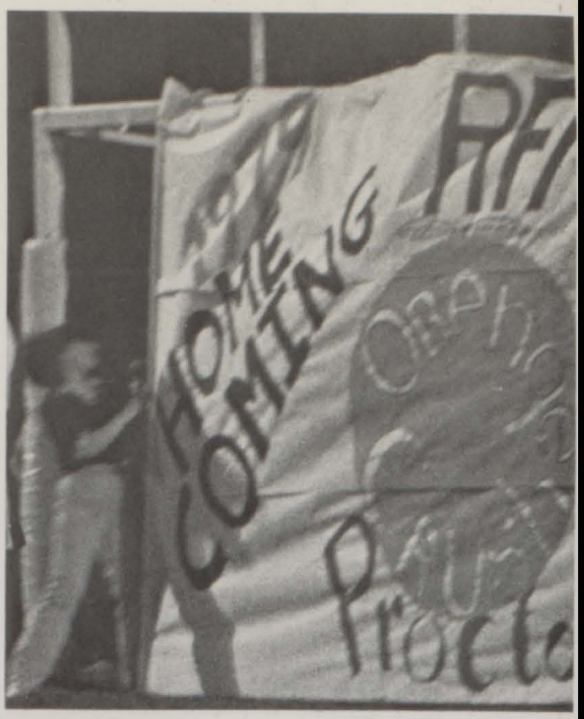
Joe Schillaci. Row 3: Dennis Sexton, Tom Rolka, David Harris, Tim O'Meara, Ben Baldanza, Mike Thomas, Alan Davis, Dale Hedding, Bill Cameron, Rick Thielke. Back: Mr. Herbert Geller, Mike Montalbano, Mark Peck, Derrick Cameron.

Stacy Kline

Black History Club

Front: Clifton Turner, Back: Willie Timmons, Karen Thompson, Jeff Lyons.

Can this be Mark Bartlett?



Homecoming Weekend

Homecoming weekend was a great success. Thursday night a bon fire and a car smash were held to start things off with a bang. Friday night the RFA football Team obliterated Proctor 55-0. The float competition, with an Olympics theme, was won by the sophomore class. Tracey Vandeveer was crowned Fall Homecoming Queen. Joe Serino was her escort. Tracey's court and their escorts included Linda Hoehn and Bernie Froio, Carrie Milotte and Mike Bartlett, Tricia May and Roger Panara, and Teresa Colucci and Mickey Jones. Ms. Vandeveer and her court reigned at the Homecoming Dance, "All of My Love", on Saturday evening. Sunday afternoon the annual Powderpuff Football Game was held with the sophomore and junior girls against the senior girls. The game ended in a tie. As usual the guys did a fine job of cheerleading!

Joe Serino and Tracey Vandeveer

Ken Robinson: This car isn't even paid for!

Front: Sandy Burke, Tary Vanderpool, Clifton Turner, Karen Colluccio, Todd Marshall. *Row 2:* Patti Goodwin, Sandy Mantelli, Velda Clark, Patty Coughlin, Geselle DeMatteo, Linda Northrup, Jose Velez. *Row 3:* Mary Ruth Coote, Terry Grimm, Farah Mason, Debbie Palaka, Kelly Dolan, Mike Granberry, Howie Brittain. *Row 4:* Diane Clark, Sue Orr, Holly Stegall, Heather Kahler, Mark Bailey. *Row 5:* Nanette Francisco, Nancy McClintoc, Wendy McLoughlin, Mike Bath, Mike Cockerham, Julie Smith, Cindy Vetrone.

Key Club

Pat Adolfi
Mary Adair
Tammy Agans
Lisa Aiello
Tracy Albert
Dawn Alessi
Daryl Alessi
Terri Austin
Mark Bahe
Johnita Barkauskas
Amy Bartell
Mike Bartlett
Ron Bertrand
Jon Biamonte
Benny Bottini
Carmen Bottini
Garry Bottini
Amy Bruce
Glen Boylston
Scott Boylston
Mark Capponi
Amy Carrier
Deanna Christie
Mike Cockerham
Teresa Colucci
Karen Coluccio
Russel Cook
Donna Crescenzi
Sandy Colangelo
Donna Colangelo
Mark Cianfrocco
Dawn Davidson
Nanette DeFrancisco
Joyce Davis
Joel Diamond
Shari Diamond
Sue Ehrenfried
Bruce Entelisano
Barb Entelisano
Linda Evans
Michelle Eychner
Karen Facciolo
Daryl Ferguson
Karen Flanders
Karen Freeman
Laura Froio
Chris Froio
Mary Fusco
Pam Goetz
Ann Grogan
Kim Guy

Block R

Front: Tom Bailey, Willie Timmons, Jim Peterson, Jeff Lyons, Mary Conover. *Row 2:* Sue Palinski, Jill Nicolson, Mary Kaskoun, Debbie Otis, Joyce Jalynski, Theresa Colucci. *Row 3:* Billy DeCarlos, Mark Blair, Kelly Steagall, Pam Goetz, Jeannine Petell. *Row 4:* Mark Semo, Mike Lacey, Ross Bartell, Mark Premo, Mickey Jones. *Row 5:* Don Henderson, Bruce Wegter, Scott Boylston, Rick Machanic, Scott O'Connell.

President — Sandy Burke
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Brenda Hoehn
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Chris Hughes
Kristine Hurd
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Michelle Totaro
Jay Valentine
Lisa VanderBogart
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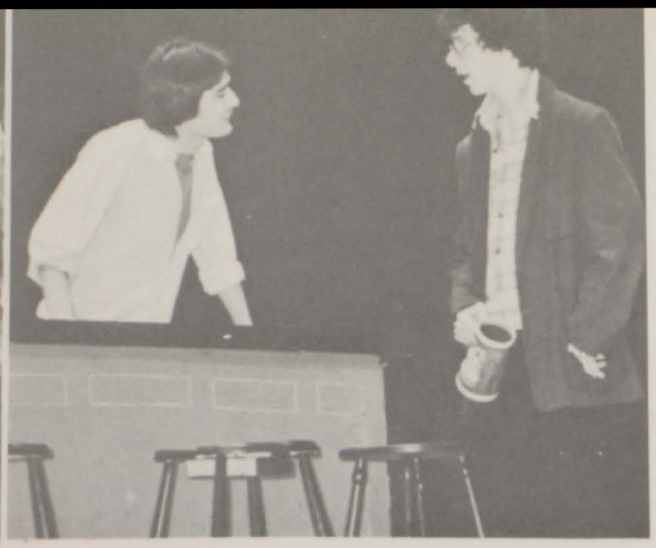
Karen Voelcker
Sheila Waters
Bonnie Watson
Kellie Walsh
Danica Wilhelm
Bobby Wolff
Valerie Yourdon
Kris Jones
Jodi Tagliaferri
Jon Sears
John Grider

Interact Club

Front: Eileen Weeks, Kim Breton, Cindy Vetrone, Kim Rossi, Jerri Dickinson, Denise Sonustun, Carolyn Athens, Luann Viscosi. *Middle:* Kevin Haber, Rob Teste, Gina Versace, Sue Bottrell, Kim Savoy, Robin Bettinger, Bevann Evans, Joe Shearer, June Bendfeldt, Debbie Bashem. *Back:* Ken Robinson, Rick Aiello, Richard Lucas, Renee Rollins, Judy Hollenbeck, Steve White, Ed Weeks.

Supervisor — Mr. Adams
President — Denise Sonustun
Vice-President — June Bendfeldt
Secretary — Carolyn Athens
Treasurer — Robin Bidenger

Raised over $2000 for the United Way from the very successful Haunted House.



SENIOR PLAY — THE DRUNKARD

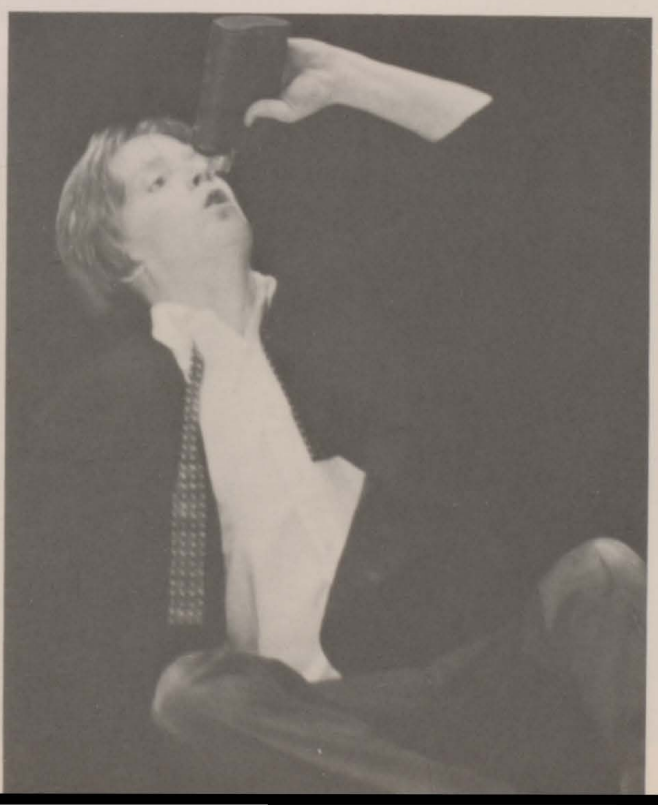
A Melodrama in Three Acts

Mel-o-drama — noun — A sentimental dramatic presentation characterized by heavy use of suspense and sensational episodes. The poor man did not start out to be a drunkard; mercy no! He was in fact, the penniless heir of his kind-hearted father, from whom he inherited his virtues. He would not be moved by that villian lawyer to kick the widow and her daughter out of their cottage. Indeed, on seeing the fair daughter he proposed and she accepted. The wedding of these two paupers does not produce any financial relief. Then! One day the villian lawyer lures the noble husband to drink in a saloon, and the effect is instantaneous; he becomes a drunkard, and the proverty increased. The villian lawyer tries to get the husband to forge a name, but he is still too virtuous for that. It's the husband's half-wit brother who plays detective, finds out what the lawyer is up to, discovers his brother in the slums of London and with the help of his Opheliae sister, finds the true will hidden by the villian. With the help of all men of goodwill, recognition and retribution is realized in the end.

Complete with rinky-tinky music, a 30 foot roll curtain and footlights our cast consisted of:

Bonnie Lee Granieri — Mrs. Wilson
K. Bridget Johnson — Mary Wilson
Mark Brown — Squire Cribbs
William Moonan — Edward Middleton
Michelle Ferrari — Sophia Spindle
Phil Richard — William Dowton
Deborah Budelman — Agnes Dowton
Lisa Dickinson — Mrs. Miller
Elizabeth Camacho — Mrs. Gates
Cynthia Briggs — Mrs. Stevens
Rich Chrysler — Officer of the Law
Ruth Wilson, Beth MacLachlan, Rebekah Merrick, and Rick Chrysler — Village People

Production Staff
Mr. Arnold Galin — Director
Sandy Meyer — Assistant Director
Michael Rhoadarmer — Producer
Mary Donovan — Vocal Director
Larry Reynolds — Stage Manager
Mark Rondinelli, Amy Bartell, Ed Blackall, Lisa Dickinson, Mary Donovan, Larry Fahey, Beth MacLachlan, Bill Moonan, Chris Reynolds, Larry Reynolds, Jerry Steward and Ruth Wilson — Sets
John O'Donnel — Set Designer
Julie Ruster — Costumes
Michael Rhoadarmer — Lights
Rick Chrysler — Publicity
Bridget Johnson, Widget Wilson — Makeup
Debbie Budelman — Props
Rosa Cabral — Piano Player



STAFF

Drama Director — Mr. Arnold Galin
Orchestra Driector — Mr. Herbert Geller
Choral Director — Mr. Rocco Vacca
Lead Vocal Director — Mrs. Luann Gillard
Student Choreographer — Linda Coleman
Producer — Mrs. John Cole
Stage Manager — Larry Reynolds
Accompanist — Mr. Rocco Vacca
Set Design — Mr. John Cole

RFA'S MUSICAL '79
BYE BYE BIRDIE

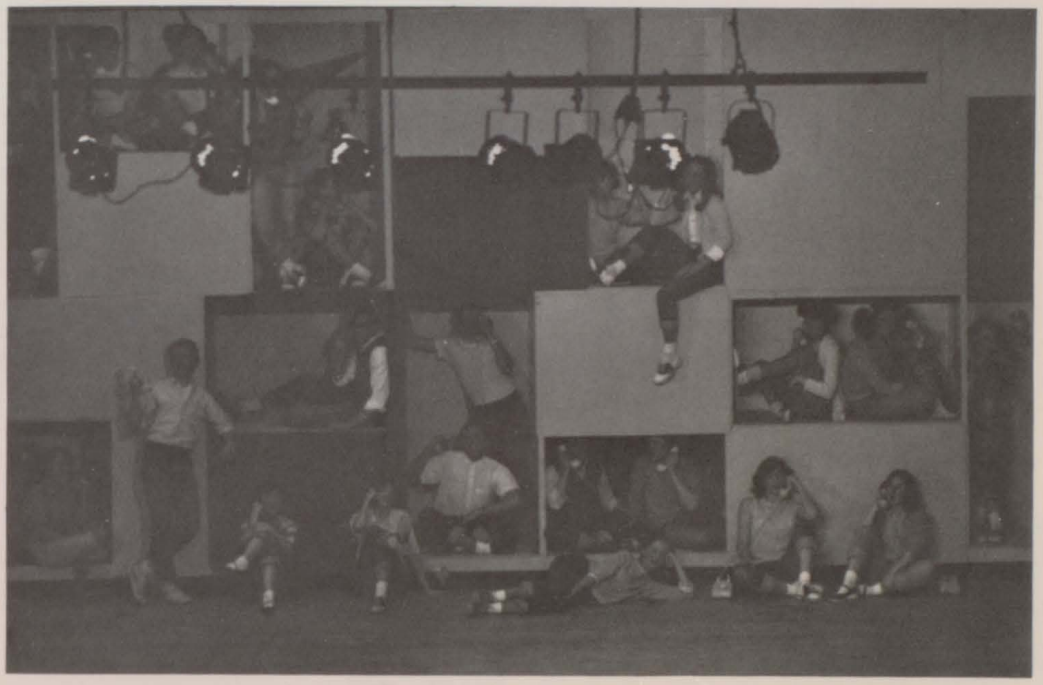
Bye Bye Birdie tells the story of a rock and roll singer who is about to be drafted into the army. Conrad Birdie is an Elvis Presley type, complete with a pompadour and thick sideburns. Albert Peterson, his agent, is a very pleasant mild mannered type. Rose Alvarez, his faithful secretary, keeps Albert and Birdie moving forward in the world. Rosie conducts one final national publicity plan before Conrad's induction. He will bid a typical American teen-age girl goodbye with an all-American kiss. Kim MacAfee in Sweet Apple, Ohio wins the honor.

All of the phones in her town are busy during THE TELEPHONE HOUR as she has just been pinned to Hugo, a local boy. She is a fetching girl of fifteen and sings with springlike adore HOW LOVELY TO BE A WOMAN.

The arrival of Birdie in Sweet Apple causes wholesale swoomings, by both the old and the young. Birdie says that his success due to the fact that he is HONESTLY SINCERE, and the quiet little town goes into a spin.

The MacAfee household is completely upset by the visiting star. It is decided that Birdie will give his ONE LAST KISS on the Ed Sullivan show. Kim's father who laments the whole uproar, tries to break into the act and behaves like a ham on the TV show.

Birdie becomes disgusted with his life and sprints out on the town with the teenagers. This is when the fun really begins!



CAST

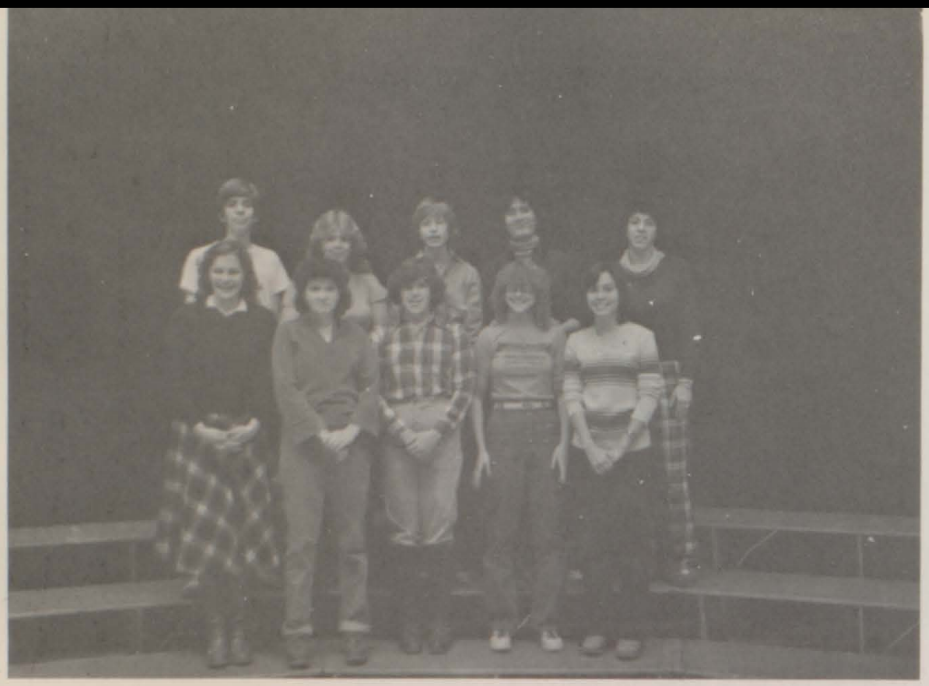
Albert Peterson — Sam Trophia
Rose Alvarez — Kathleen Bentley
Conrad Birdie — Mark D'Ambrosi
Kim MacAfee — Lisa Bjorlie
Mrs. MacAfee — Bridget Johnson
Mr. MacAfee — Albert Darcangelo
Randolph MacAfee — Tricia May
Mrs. Peterson — Sally Needhan
Ursula — Bonnie Granieri
Helen — Barb Lowerre
Hugo — David Pritchard
Maude — Bill Moonan
Nancy — Diane Trophia
Gloria — Lori Combs
Alice — Mary Donovan
Margie — Robin Bachhuber
Harvey Johnson — Jack Bentley
Mr. Johnson — Sue Schillaci
Deborah Sue — Lydia Kan
Freddie — Rich Pfrimmer
Karl — Ed Blackall
Penelope — Linda Coleman
Reporters — Ed Blackall, Mark Brown
— John Kan
Mayor's Wife — Dara Avantini
Mrs. Merkle — Meri-Paige Gerling
Cameraman — Rich Pfrimmer
Drunk — Phil Richard

CAST

Policemen — Tim Johnson, Phil Richard
Sad Girls — Linda Coleman, Debbie Ludlow
Trio — Sue Eakin, Michelle Ferrare, Lisa Bjorlie
Quartet — Ed Blackall, Bill Moonan, Mark Brown, Tim Johnson
Dancers — Debbie Ludlow, Lydia Kan, Linda Coleman, Barb Lowerre, Jack Bentley, John Kan, Bill Moonan, Rich Pfimmer
Chorus — Dara Avantini, Julie Smith, Bonnie Granieri, Sandy Riley, Laurie Combs, Becke Merrick, Tina Carrado, Laurie Mather, Joan Doyle, Mary Galanti, Debby Blackburn, Sue Eakin, Michelle Ferrare, Barb Lowerre, Diane Trophia, Mary Donovan, Robin Bachhuber, Lydia Kan, Linda Coleman, Debbie Ludlow, Jack Bentley, Rich Pfrimmer, Joe Stutler, Joe Schillaci, Ed Backall, Bill Moonan, Mark Brown, Tim Johnson, John Kan.

ORCHESTRA

Woodwinds — Marilyn Palmer, Lynn Buck, Colleen Reilly, Bonnie Watson, Scott Haskell, Ronald Thielke, John O'Donnell, Peggy McMahon.
Strings — Marianne Ackley, Laurie Capponi, Edward McDermitt, Cheryl Vetrone, Nanette DeFrancesco, Lisa Grasso, Margaret Hopkins.
Brass — Tim O'Meara, Jim Mullen, Craig Moffatt, Edmund Lucas, David Moonan, Edward Lim, Ben Baldanza, Alan Davis, Rick Thielke.
Percussion — Mike Montalbano, Robert Kalin



Debate Team

Front: Bridget Johnson, Karen Morgan, Karen King, Cindy Vetrone, Shirley McElaney. *Back:* Mary Brown, Debbie Budelman, Mary Kopchick, Larry Fahey, Mrs. Bernhart, Advisor.

The Debate Team was re-established this year at RFA. The team spent many extra hours preparing for upcoming tournaments. We had all the groundwork like research and organization to complete before our first tournament in January. As well as debating at tournaments, we participated in individual speaking events like Oral Interpretation, Impromptu, and After-Dinner Speeches. Our other major project was the Slingerland Speech Contest held in May.

Drama Club

The Drama Club is open to the sophomores, juniors, and seniors at Rome Free Academy. No experience is necessary. The many activities available to members are: acting, lighting, make-up, set construction, and directing. Acting workshops are given once a month to improve skills on stage. Students are also given the opportunities to direct their own plays. During the school year the Drama Club assists with the Senior Play and the Musical.

Front: Cindy Briggs, Denise Sonustun, June Bendfeldt, Carolyn Althen. *Middle:* Jerry Stewart, Lisa Dickinson, Phil Richard, Debbie Budelman, Ruth Wilson, Rosa Cabral, Rick Chrysler. *Back:* Ed Blackall, Mark Brown, Bill Moonan, Larry Reynolds, Bonnie Granieri, Sandy Meyer, Mary Donovan.

Colgate Seminar

Front: Brenda Kindler, Mary Kay Rossi, Cindy Nasetka, Kathy Knudsen, Bridget Johnson, Vaughn Combs, Kyle Leffert. *Row 2:* Rick Recchio, Jocelyn Moselle, Amy Herter, Patti Clancy, Mark Brown, Mark Groman. *Row 3:* Debbie Simiele, Heather Kahler, Kelly Steagall, Teresa Colucci, Sharon Wells, Cheryl Vetrone, Mark Premo, Bernard Marcoccia. *Back:* Russ Cook, Joel Diamond, Leanna Lawter, Leslie Prossner, Holli Kehoe, Linda Muszynski, Marijill Nicholson, Mary Beth Maggio, Jim Mizgala.

Advisor—Mr. Edward C. Ball
President—Marijill Nicholson
Vice-President—Ed Lim
Secretary /Treasurer—K. Bridget Johnson

The Colgate Seminar has existed at RFA since 1958. It is a "broad horizon" program operated by Colgate University in co-operation with various high schools in central New York. Fifty seniors are selected for seminar membership at RFA on the basis of ranking academic averages for five semesters. Each student attends twelve seminars on four selected topics taught by Colgate University professors. The seminars are designed to give the students a taste of college classes. Topics are selected by the seminar members from a list of topics available. Discussion continues through the dinner hour, with no charge to the students for the dinners. One seminar each year is usually held at the Colgate University campus.

Amy Herter and Heather Kahler in "Whales' Tales and Sharks' Jaws"

Honor Society

Row 1: Roger Panara, Sheila Don, Roxanne Falitico, Sandy Burke, Denise Cherry, Russell Cooke. *Row 2:* Tracey Bird, Brenda Blanchard, April Watson, Kelly Dolan, Joslin Moselle, Tari Vanderpool, Mark Rabe. *Row 3:* Cathy Warcup, David Cortese, Roy Maitland, Brian Kelly, Daryl Alessi. *Row 4:* Mary Donovan, Holly Rossi, Julie Ruster, Donna Southard, Carrie Ventura, Lisa Dickinson, Mary Delaney.

Row 1: Carol Safarz, Lisa Boule, Diane Clark, Linda Clark, Lisa Cardona, Laura Marks, Lori Pitoniak. *Row 2:* Pam Geotz, Lisa Martinez, Lisa Aeillo, Beth MacLachlan, Lori Woods, Terri VanWagenen, Carrie Millotte. *Row 3:* Sheryl Badolato, Mary Adair, Rick Chrysler, Lori Combs, Cathy Voelker, Bonnie Granier, Angela Caron, Cindy Schultz. *Row 4:* Laura Merrick, Cindy Miller, Mike Lacey, Brenda Vota, Mark Primo, Kevin Kelly, Jerry Bolte, William Williams.

Daniel Alder, Ben Baldanza, Jon Biamonte, Ronald Brement, Randall Brooke, Mark Brown, Deborah Budelman, Laurie Capponi, Sharon Christy, Patti Clancy, Teresa Colucci, Vaughn Combs, Russell Cook, Patricia Coughlin, Dawn Davidson, Alan Davis, Joel Diamond, William Draper, Nadine Durr, Douglas Eggan, Michelle Ferrari, Carolyn Glasso, Terry Grimm, Mark Groman, Joseph Gwara, Scott Gwara, Richard Hackert, Donald Henderson, Amy Herter, Linda Hoehn, Margaret Hopkins, Clay Hovey, Kethleen Johnson, Heather Kahler, Lori Kaplan, Holly Kehoe, Brenda Kindler, Karen Knowles, Kathleen Knudsen, Mary Kopchik, Partick LaForge, Kimberly LaMonica, Paul Lambert, Karl Lauber, Leanna Lawter, Kyle Leffert, Edward Lim, Debbie Ludlow, Mary beth Maggio, Elizabeth Mandronico, Bernard Marcoccia, Patricia May, Robin Mead, James Mizgala, Linda Muszynski, Cynthia Nasetka, Marijill Nicholson, Lawrence Northrup, Thomas O'Brien, Suzanne Palinski, Janette Pietras, Debra Pohl, Geralyn Pohorenec, Mark Premo, Steven Prichard, Leslie Prossner, Deb Quattrociocchi, Amy Quinn, Camilla Ragle, Martha Rahmer, Richard Recchio, Barbara Ringrose, Kenneth Robinson, Mark Rondinelli, Eileen Rooney, Mary Kay Rossi, Debbie Simiele, Charles Spindler, Kelly Steagull, Mark Sutherland, Michele Totaro, Tracey Vandeveer, Theresa VanWagenen, Cheryl Vetrone, Bruce Wegter, Sharon Wells, Sherry Williams, Norma Young.

This year's National Honor Society consisted of over eighty students who had acquired an academic average of 90% in their junior year or 85% in their Senior year. Important qualifications of members of Honor Society go beyond scholarship. They include outstanding character, leadership, loyalty, and service.

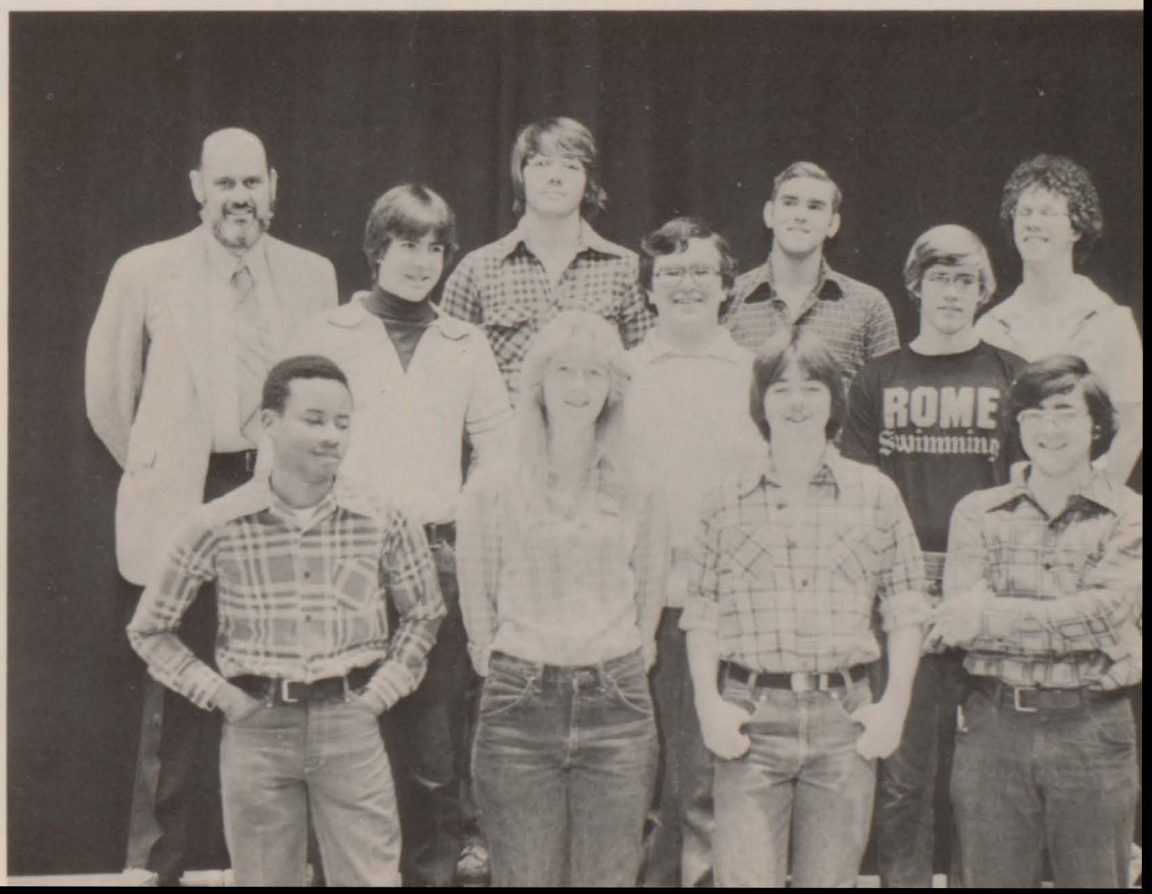
The Honor Society participates in many school functions, such as guides on Parents' Night. This year's officers were: President, Holly Kehoe; Vice president, Cindy Nesetka; Secretary, Lori Kaplan; Treasurer, Rich Recchio; Mr. Ruby was the group's advisor.

RFA Science Club

Hopefully some of the scientists, engineers, doctors, and technicians of the future will emerge from the members of the RFA Science Club.

The Club's main objective is to promote the study and understanding of science and science-related fields. Participation in the local, regional and state science congresses is encouraged.

Bimonthly meetings include student projects and demonstrations, as well as special guests on related topics. Field trips to nearby universities and industrial facilities are planned to expand the knowledge of the members and to give them some personal exposure to science in progress.



Front: Alfonso Manning, Cheri Christy, Joe Stutter, Ben Baldanza. *Middle:* Alan Davis, Charlie Spindler, Michael Cockerham. *Back:* Mr. Uvanni, Advisor; Dennis Sexton, Randy Brooke, Rick Chrysler.

Ski Club

Front: Kristine Hurd, Julie Hughes, Tracey Hull, Lisa Doyle, Tricia May, Roger Panara. *Row 2:* Leslie Prossner, Holly Kehoe, Lori Kaplan, Julie Smith, Nancy McClintoc, Bob Voelcker, Joe Gallager. *Row 3:* Lisa Cardona, Sheri Christy, Wendy McLaughlin, Holly Steagall, Mickey Eychner, Michelle Pinti. *Row 4:* Eric Brantingham, Marianne Marquette, Sue Orr, Glenn Boyleston, Leanna Lawter, Russell Cook. *Back:* Jon Williams, Jack Mauer, Joel Diamond, Tom Rolka, Daryl Alessi, Jim Mizgala.

President—Leanna Lawter
Vice-President—Jim Mizgala
Secretary—Donna Crescenzi
Treasurer—Scott Stephens
Advisors— Mr. Jacobowitz
Mr. Smaldon

Front: Carol Lenaghen, Sue DeBonzo, Ed Lim, Tracy Albert, Dawn Alessi, Jack Bentley, Linda Evans. *Row 2:* Mark Bratge, Tim O'Meara, Kim Kimmel, Brenda Hoehn, Lynne Magnanti, Jeanine Petell. *Row 3:* Will Ball, David McDonald, Jim Orr, Kirk Cadrette, Sharon Vittorello, Beth Vittorello. *Row 4:* Donna Crescenzi, Karen Flanders, Andy Olney, Luke Pomilio, Gary Bottini, Eric Phillips. *Back:* Scott Stephen, John Van Slyke, Chris Hughes, Mark Rabe, Dave Sansenbach, Jim Kelly, Kevin Russell.

Front: Larry Northrup, Geselle DeMatteo, Laurie Croasdale, Kellie Walsh, Kim Cadrette, Dawn Davidson, Kathy Voelcker. *Row 2:* Pam Goetz, Ando Jones, Colleen Dowd, Joyce Davis, Shari Diamond, Chris Jones. *Row 3:* Amy Lynn Carrier, Sheila Waters, Terri Austin, Karen Voelcker, Mike Lacey, Maria Schofield. *Row 4:* Tom Urtz, Mike Rovall, Kyle Jones, Lisa Grasso. *Back:* Eric Brantingham, Jose Valez, Joe McCarthy, Bill Lux, Greg Pless, Brian Kelly.

The look of leather.

Winter Weekend

Are there guys in the cake?

Does the punch seem strong?

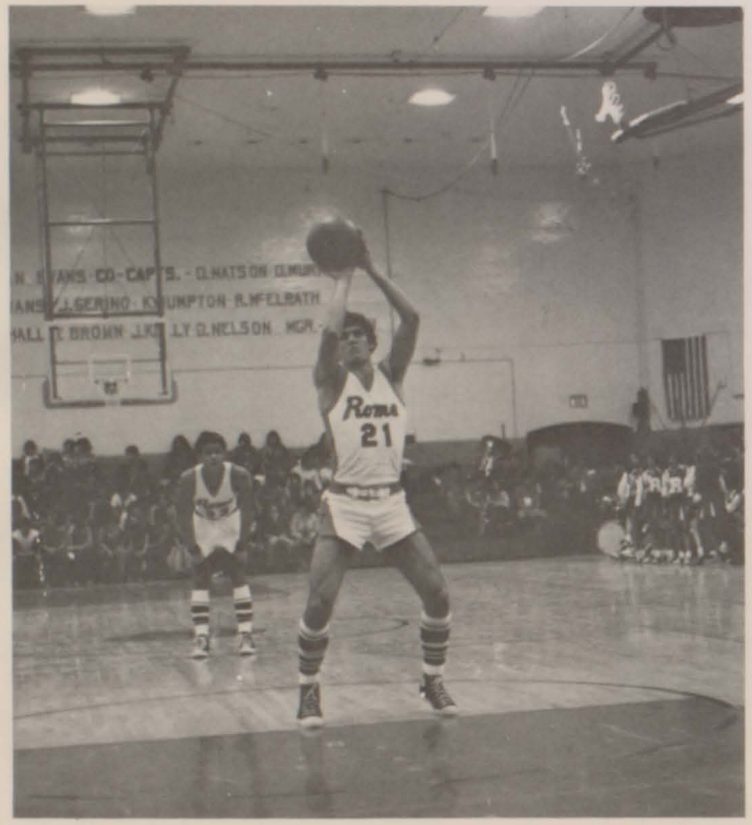
This year's winter weekend was a memorable occasion. The RFA Orangemen gained a big victory over New Hartford (89-71) to start the weekend off right. Saturday night the senior class sponsored a Sadie Hawkins semi-formal dance featuring the sounds of "Valley Grass". The highlight of the evening was the crowning of the King and his Court. Voted King was Mike Bartlett, escorted by Angela Bartoloti. Mike's Court included Mickey Jones, Ronnie Bertrand, Doug Watson, and Roger Panara. All in all, the weekend was a success—in spite of the lack of snow.

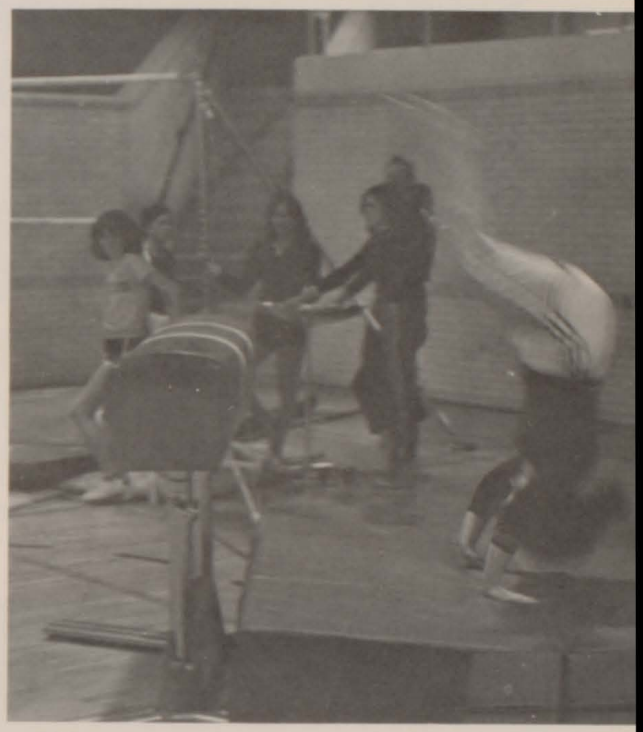
Where's my court?

What ticket?

We made it!

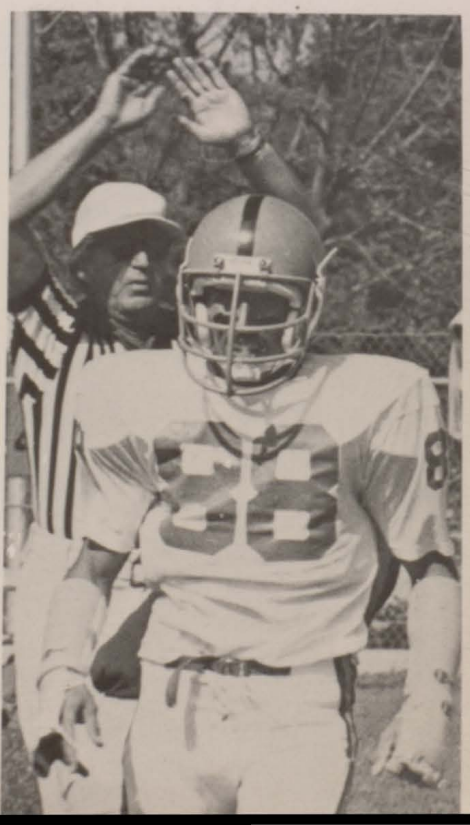
SPORTS





Varsity Football

Row 1: Steve Shoemaker, Coach Don Bruce, Co-Capt. Tim Houser, Head Coach Tom Hoke, Co-Capt. Ron Bertrand, Coach Duane Niemi. Row 2: Frank Mellace, Jeff Lyons, Benny Bottini, Mark Blair, Chuck Balog, Jeff Wells, Derek Skidmore, Gerald Dennis. Row 3: Mark Capponi, Steve Nardozza, Mark George, Ed Belden, Chris Burke, Mark Grifasi, Richard Barnett, Jeff Wilkerson. Row 4: Mike Barlett, Mark Cianfrocco, Russell Cook, Robert Barone, Tim Filliponi, Tom Brown, Norman Babcock, Andy DeCarolis. Row 5: Mark Premo, Bill Fleck, Willie Evans, Richard Coriale, Anthony Tardugno, David Vienneau, Jerry Bolte, Mark Frasca. Row 6: Bill DeCarolis, Jim Talley, Dave Chmielewski, Mike Peling, Pat Adolfi, Howie Brittain, Eric Decker, Chris Plumley. Row 7: Ron Barnett, Mgr. Doug Chmielewski, John Smith, Doug Turner, Ralph Sanzone, Kyle Mumpton, Mgr. John Isbister, Ray Durr.



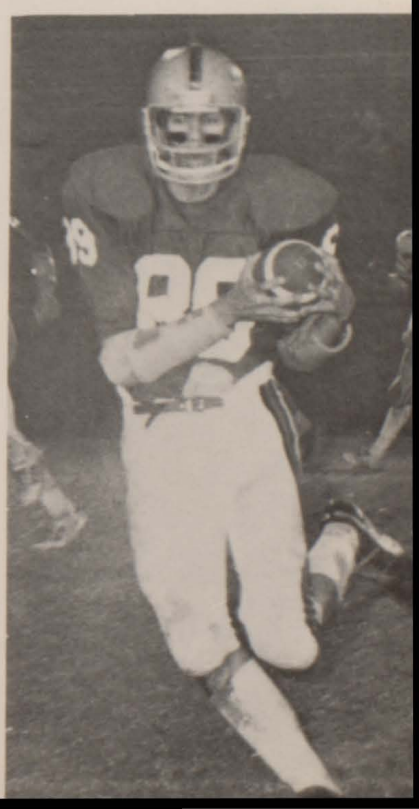
1979 Record: 5-3

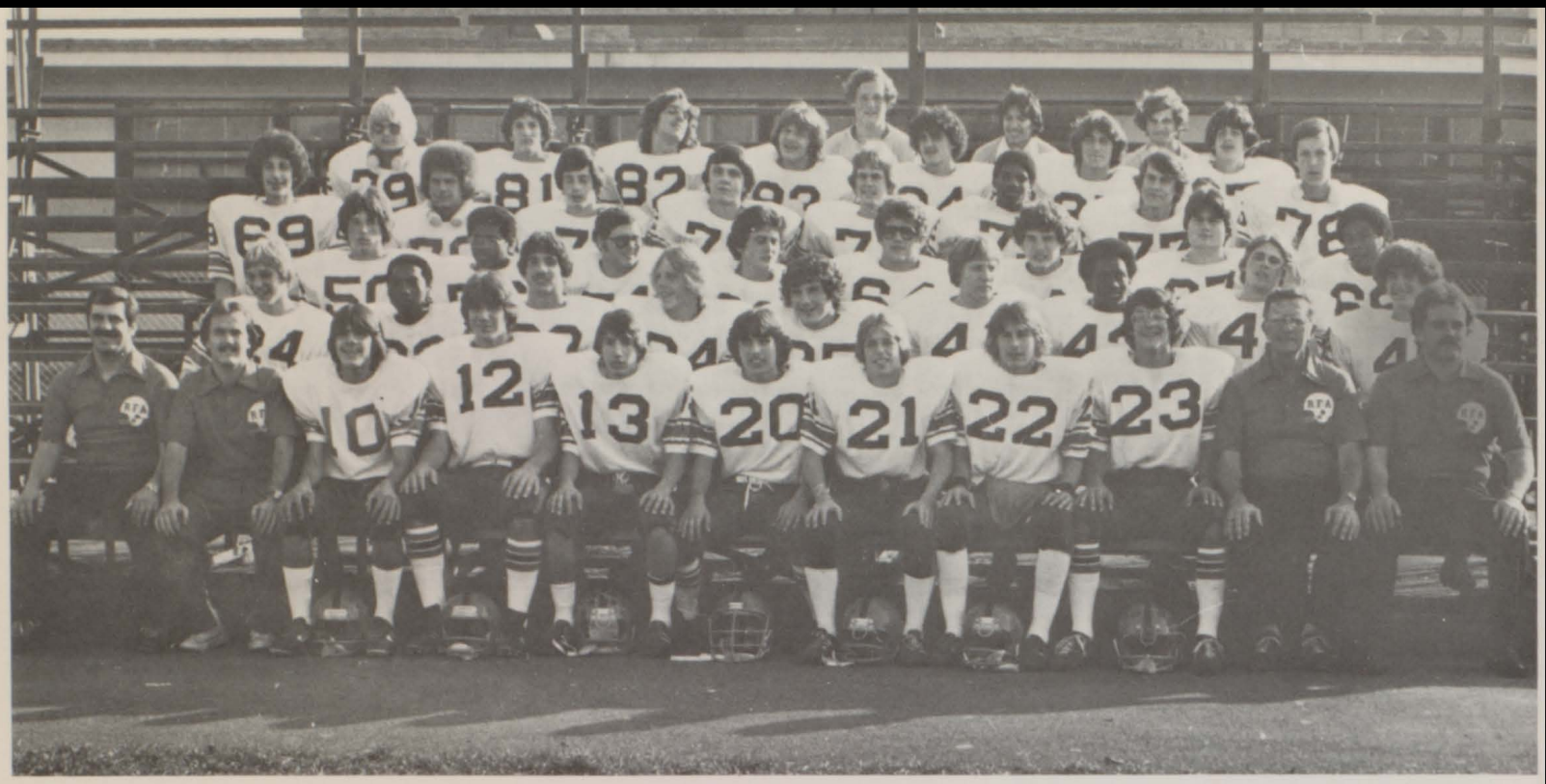
	RFA	Opponent
Corcoran	20	24
UFA	35	14
Notre Dame	6	7
Whitesboro	21	0
Vestal	31	12
Proctor	55	0
New Hartford	7	0
Henninger	7	32

Co-Captains: Ron Bertrand
Tim Houser

C. O. L. All Stars: Richard Barnett, Ron Bertrand, Mark Cianfrocco, Willie Evans, Mark Frasca, Tim Houser, Kyle Mumpton, Ralph Sanzone, Jeff Wilkerson.

Awards: Most Valuable Offensive Lineman — Mark Frasca
Most Valuable Defensive Lineman — Willie Evans
Most Valuable Offensive Back — Richard Barnett
Most Valuable Defensive Back — Mark Cianfrocco
Most Improved Player — Russell Cook
Unsung Hero — Mike Peling
Most Valuable Player — Ron Bertrand
Black "R" — Ron Bertrand





Front: Coach DiCosti, Coach Hickok, Bob Bialobreski, Dean Rivera, Joel Amidon, Rick Sticca, Dale Trexler, Jeff Dilutus, Mike Caifa, Coach Ryan, Coach Adey. *Row 2:* Mike Stacknic, Curtus Bryant, Rich Ferrucci, Shawn Edick, Bill McCormick, Scott Parsons, Bill Carter, Mark Glocher, Mike Badolato. *Row 3:* Eric Phillips, Aarron Davis, Tom Barber, Joe Trousdale, Manny Clothakis, Dave Semo, Steve Sezna, Lincoln Marks. *Row 4:* Bernie Lubeck, Ralph Calvany, Chris Pamileo, Mike O'Conner, Mark Mauer, Sheodon Hardison, Tim Davis, Kevin Quentin. *Row 5:* Joe Hojnacki, Bruce Entelisano, Curt Losen, Bob Taylor, Jon Pasqueletti, Dan Rivera, Bob Wood. *Row 6:* Mngr. Wonder Mortis, Mngr. Steve Puma, Mngr. Charlie Phillips.

JV Football

Captains: Sheldon Hardison, Scott Parsons, Steve Jones

AWARDS: Most Valuable Player — Mark Blocker
Most Improved Lineman — Bob Wood
Most Improved Back — Mike Badolato
Most Valuable Offensive Lineman — David Semo
Most Valuable Defensive Lineman — Sheldon Hardison
Most Valuable Offensive Back — Scott Parsons and Billy Carter
Most Valuable Defensive Back — Rick Sticca

JV Cheerleaders

Sue Hackert, Amy Bruce, Dory Tauroney, Donna Crescenzi, Jackie Chmielewski, Jackie Orbinati, Tammy Watson, Becki Allyn, Beth Vittorello. Coach: Mrs. JoAnn Grasso.

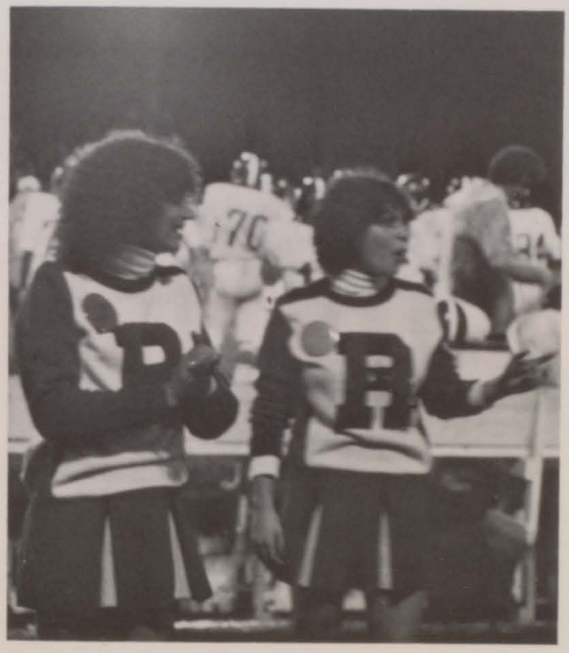
JV Football

1979 Record: 6-1
Sixth straight C.O.L. Title.
The one loss was the first for the JVs in 31 games covering a four-year period.

		RFA
Corcoran	0	26
UFA	14	30
Notre Dame	0	25
Whitesboro	0	40
Vestal	6	7
Proctor	6	26
New Hartford	14	12

Gina Bottini, Johnita Barkarskus, Mary Ann Newman

Varsity Cheerleaders



Diane Chapman, Leanna Lawter, Tricia May

Tracey Vandeveer, Lori Biondi, Karen Thompson, Dara Avantini. Coach: Mrs. JoAnn Grasso.

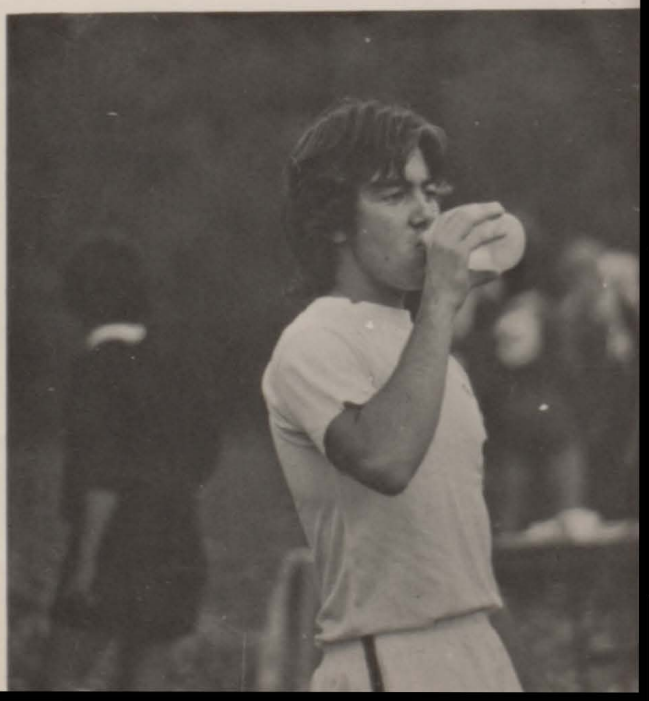
Varsity Soccer

Front: Scott O'Connell, Danny Hickey, Mark Gualtieri, Ray Baynard, Dave McDonald, Kevin Russell, *Middle:* Scott Dangerfield (Manager), Brian Skidmore, Jack Sykes, Andrew Onley, Chris Salisbury, Tom Iuorno, Mark Bailey, Lan Herrick, David Minecozzi. *Back:* Will Ball, Chris Hughes, Mark Rabe. Roger Panara, Danny Barnes, Mike Thomas, John Duesett, Dave Rizzo, Coach Bob VanSchick. *Absent:* Don Muttillo, Steve Schilling.

Awards

Best Offensive Player — Roger Panara
Best Defensive Player — Dave Rizzo
Mr. Hustle — Mark Rabe
Most Valuable Player Black Letter — Donald Muttillo
Steve Leidig Memorial Award — Roger Panara

Don Mutillo, Captain



Roger Panara, Captain

1979 Soccer Season
Team Record 7-8-1

	RFA	Opponent
Mt. Markham	2	3
ESM	2	4
Liverpool	2	3
UFA	2	4
Proctor	5	0
Notre Dame	4	0
Whitesboro	3	2
New Hartford	1	6
UFA	2	4
Proctor	3	0
Notre Dame	3	0
Whitesboro	4	8
New Hartford	3	0
Poland	2	2
Mt. Markham	2	4
Chadwick	4	0

Mark Bailey

Mark Rabe

Synchronized Swimming

Front: Beth MacLachlan, Joy Seigler, Co-Captains. *Middle:* Julie Smith, Dawn Alessi, Belinda Brown, Anne Reider, Pat Rickard, Coach. *Back:* Lisa Doyle, Kelly Sarbaugh, Jewel Rambo. *Absent:* Elaine Rambo, Joan Welker. Coach: Mrs. Pat Rickard.

The Aquanotes is the Synchronized Swim Club at RFA. The girls meet two nights a week from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Synchronized Swimming is a sport in which various swimming strokes and water stunts are executed with rhythmic and musical accompaniment. Ultimately, these strokes and stunts are done in synchronization with each other. The skills also involve appreciation of music and good composition of various routines. This sport is presently being considered for Olympic competition.

Varsity Field Hockey

The Rome Free Academy Field Hockey Team had a very successful season. The girls won the Central Oneida League title and won the quarter and semi-final sectional games. Our final game against Auburn was 2-2 until the last minute of the game when Auburn scored for the win.

Leslie Prossner and Tary Vanderpool were C.O.L. All-Stars; Nancy McClintock received honorable mention, Leslie received the MVP Offense award, Tary MVP Defense award. Sue Orr was voted the MIP on Offense and Holly Steagall the MIP on Defense. Nancy McClintock received the award for team spirit and leadership.

The girls tallied a 6-2 C.O.L. record and finished as runner-up in the Section III Class A-B tournament. The girls completed its season with a 13-4-1 record. The team was coached by Mrs. Carla Till.

Front: Leslie Prossner, Joanne Korzenski, Laurie VanSlyke, Sue Palinski, Michelle Eychner, Jeannine McEwen, Velda Clark, Nancy McClintock. *Back:* Tary Vanderpool, Paula Peaslee, Holly Steagall, Sue Orr, Kelly Steagall, Mrs. Till, Kathy Perry, Debbie Palaka, Michelle Tataro, Kim Guy, Kay Staudmyer

Front: Chris Kehoe, Jeff Wagner, Tom Herber, John Foster, John Castro, Mark Schofield, Kevin Mumpton, John Van Slyke, Eric Brantingham, Gary Eychner, Tony Siarkiewicz. *Middle:* Andy McCormick, Ken Kinna, Earl Hall, Chris Murphy, John Reamondy, Jeff Panara, Chris Beeman, Van Moffat, Mark Moshier, Joe Ferrare, Steve Swancott. *Back:* Tom Burkhalter, Tom Fitzgerald, Mike Vanderhoof, Ken Smith, Dan Zannon, Bruce Miller, Scott Onley, Fred Allen, Dave Dibari, Tom Rolka.

JV Soccer

The 1979 JV Soccer Team was led to an outstanding season of 15 wins and 0 losses by co-captains, Jeff Panara and Joe Ferrare and Coach Clifford. The leading scorer was a sophomore, Jeff Panara, who finished the season with 51 total points, including 21 goals and 9 assists. After remaining undefeated in the C.O.L., RFA's Junior Varsity Soccer Team was crowned Central Oneida League Champions.

1979 Golf Team

Front: Scott O'Connell, John Navelli, Dan Hickey. *Back:* Mike Lowe, Paul Goetz, James Steinkirchner, Donald Henderson. Coach: Mr. Don Geary.

Cross Country

Front: Tommy Bailey, Willie Timmons, Clifton Turner. *Back:* Jimmy Peterson, Ricky Lane, Tom Lane, Mark Sutherland. Team Coach: Mr. Dave Carlson.

Front: Jamie Pomilio, Linda Bailey. *Middle:* Kathy McCormick, Joyce Davis, Brenda Hoehn. *Back:* Elaine Rambo, Pat Goodwin, Linda Northrup, Kathy Campbell. Team Coach: Ms. Barb Kassel.

Tennis

Front: Scott Smith, Ned Dowd. *Back:* Dave Fiore, Andrew Olney, Garrett Meade. Coach: Mr. Bob Van Schaick.

Front: Julie Hughes, Tracey Hull, Kim Kimmel, Sandy Carro, Chris Vescio. *Back:* Laurie Crosdale, Maria Orbinati, Ann Marie Lovett, Lisa Grasso, Farah Mason, Gina Grasso, Francine Aiello, Patty Gemedschiew. *Absent:* Pam Petrie, Verna Clark, Geselle DeMatteo, Donna Fusco, Debbie Havens, Sharon Kahler, Lisa Trophia, Colleen Brady.

JV Field Hockey

Record: 4-3-1 Coach — Miss Patricia K. Cullen
Co-Captains: Lisa Grasso, Geselle DeMatteo
AWARDS: Most Valuable Player Offense — Chris Vescio
Most Valuable Player Defense — Patty Gemedschiew
Most Improved Player Offense — Geselle DeMatteo
Most Improved Player Defense — Ann Marie Lovett

Archery

Front: Diane Chapman, Donna Dombroski *Back:* Joyce Jalynski, Debbie Otis, Fran Strange *Absent:* Lisa Vanderbogart, Kathy Valentine, Tina Pissano, Jean Urtz. Team Coach: Mrs. JoAnn Grasso.

Record 4-4 Co-Captains: Jean Urtz, Lisa VanderBogart
Most Valuable Player — Debbie Otis
Most Improved Player — Diane Chapman

		RFA
Fulton	2461	2754
Cato-Meridian	3515	2605
Fayetteville-Manlius	1967	2729
North Syracuse	935	2985
Fayetteville-Manlius	2271	3126
Jamesville Dewitt	3524	2894
Fulton	2716	2683
Cato-Meridian	2877	2145

Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders

Becky Allyn, Antoinette Paccica, Dianne Chapman, Karen Thompson, Leanna Lawter, Tricia May, Donna Crescenzi, Gina Bottini, Mary Ann Newman. Coach: Mrs. JoAnn Grasso.

Golf

Front: Lori Biondi, Karen Conley, Dawn Davidson, Linda Evans. *Back:* Wendy McLoughlin, Amy Bartell, Lori Kiser, Mary Kaskoun.

Absent: Mary Ann Conover, Kim Kimmel, Edyie Crozier. Team Coach: Miss Ruth Demers.

J.V. Basketball Cheerleaders

Front: Kim Ciotti, Dory Tauroney. *Middle:* Jackie Orbinati, Chris Cihocki, Amy Carrier. *Back:* Maria Orbinati, Sue Hackert, Beth Vittorello. Coach: Mrs. JoAnn Grasso.

Front: Dan Nelson, Bernie Froio, Mike Grandberry, Joe Serino, Stevie Evans, Rodney McElrath, Ed Rakowski, Tom Brown. *Back:* Steve Bunn, Jim Hall, Dan Murphy, Joe Kelley, Doug Watson, Eric Decker, Bill Evans, Kyle Mumpton, Coach Evans.

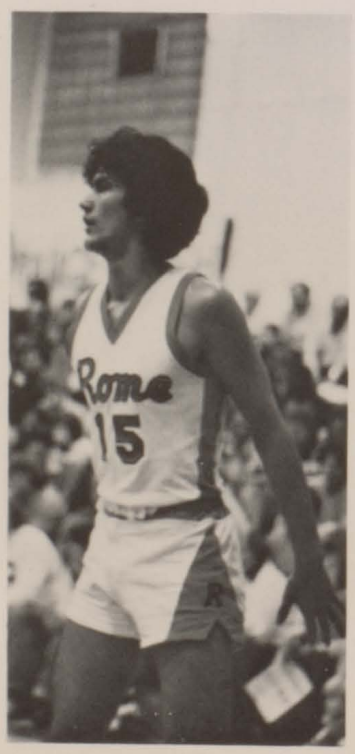
Varsity Basketball

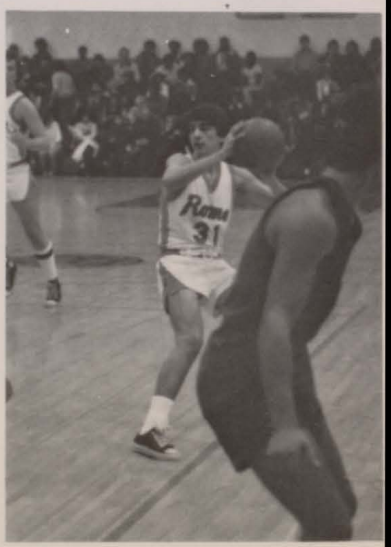
The RFA Orangemen

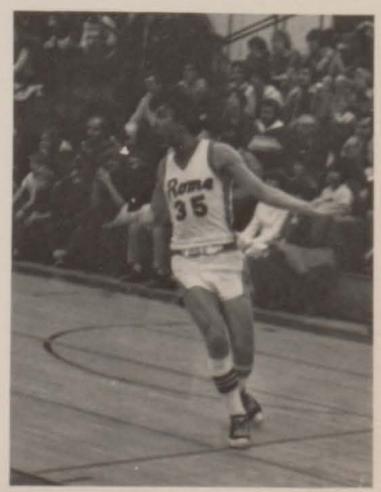
Record 8-10
Central Oneida League 5-5

Nottingham	46	49
U.F.A.	58	60
Auburn	60	77
Proctor	66	65
Notre Dame	75	71
Big Orange Tournament		
Sweet Home, Buffalo	78	77
Bishop Turner	80	83
Nottingham	64	58
Whitesboro	65	73
New Hartford	77	69
U.F.A.	50	56
Proctor	60	58
Notre Dame	83	64
Notre Dame Juggler Classic		
Bishop Ford	68	63
McKinley High, Buffalo	71	61
Whitesboro	46	66
New Hartford	71	86
Corcoran	57	55

Doug Watson—First Team—All Tournament Team
Big Orange Holiday Classic
Bernie Froio—All Tournament Team
Notre Dame Juggler Classic







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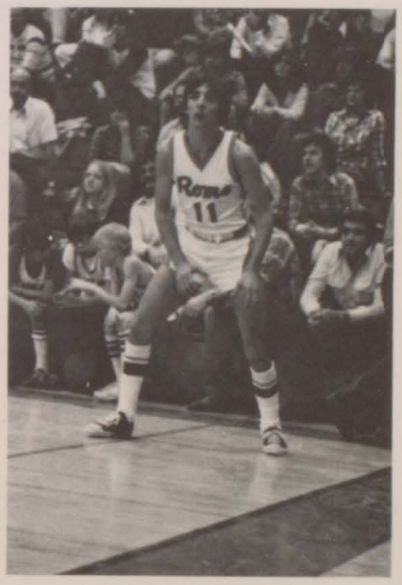
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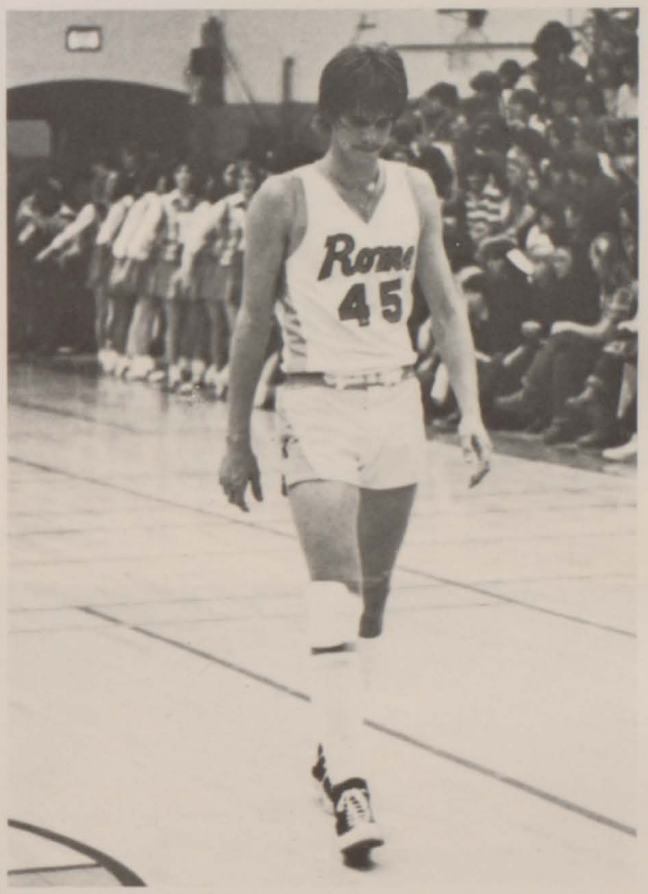
Rome
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Front: Kevin Quentin, Jeff Panara, Mike Shackelford, Ricky Reeves, Bill Jarvey, Chris Gullo, Rob Wood, Dean Rivera. *Back:* George Coppola, Rob Taylor, Jeff Amidon, Coach Don Bruce, Mike Stachnik, Tom Fitzgerald, Tim Bates.

JV Basketball

Record 9-6

		RFA
Nottingham	56	58
U.F.A.	53	67
Auburn	46	79
Proctor	65	60
Notre Dame	58	64
Bishop Ludden	63	68
Notre Dame	74	63
Nottingham	47	44
Whitesboro	49	68
New Hartford	49	57
U.F.A.	67	62
Proctor	55	39
Notre Dame	43	46
Whitesboro	64	55
New Hartford	58	69

Varsity Volleyball

Front: Marijill Nicholson, Teresa Colucci, Sandy Burke. *Middle:* Dawn Alessi, Tary Vanderpool, Sue Palinski, Heather Kahler, Julie Cramp. *Back:* Coach Miss Cullen, Penny Skaehill, Mickey Echner, Tiffany Darr, Paula Rodrigues.

Little Falls	15-1,2-15,15-5	Oneida	15-11,7-15,15-12
U.F.A.	15-2,16-14	U.F.A.	15-13,15-7
Proctor	15-3,15-6	Proctor	15-4,13-15,15-12
Notre Dame	15-2,15-11	Liverpool	4-15,14-16
Whitesboro	5-15,15-2,15-11	Whitesboro	15-9,16-14
New Hartford	15-13,15-9	Watertown	15-2,15-2
Binghamton Central,	16-14,11-15	Notre Dame	15-3,15-1
Susquehanna Central	15-2,15-2	Auburn	15-2,16-14
Shenendehowa	15-13,15-10	New Hartford	15-7,15-8
Liverpool	3-15,9-15	Cicero	15-13,7-15,8-15

Central Oneida League All-Stars
First Team—Sandy Burke, Teresa Colucci, Heather Kahler
Second Team—Marijill Nicholson, Tary Vanderpool
Honorable Mention—Paula Rodrigues

JV Volleyball

Record 14-1
Coach: Miss Wilkenson

Little Falls	13-15,15-4,16-14
U.F.A.	13-15,15-4,15-3
Proctor	15-8,15-7
Nore Dame	15-1,15-5
Whitesboro	15-0,15-5
New Hartford	15-7,15-10
Oneida	15-2,1-15,12-15
U.F.A.	16-14,15-6
Proctor	16-14,16-14
Liverpool	15-6,15-12
Notre Dame	15-4,15-4
Watertown	15-5,15-0
Whitesboro	15-2,10-15,15-2
Auburn	15-11,15-2
New Hartford	15-2,15-5

Front: Chris Veschio, Laurie Van Slyke, Lisa Pettinelli, Jeanine McEwen, Stephanie Luke, Geselle DeMatteo. *Back:* Val Noone, Diane Donai, Patty Peters, Lisa Grasso, Deanne Reign.

Front: Marijill Nicholson, Teresa Colucci, Lisa Grago, Sue Palinski, Penny Skaehill. *Back:* Coach Miss Demers, Julie Cramp, Tammy Agans, Tiffany Carr, Sandy Burke, Maryanne Marquette, Pat Goodwin.

Varsity Basketball

		RFA
Chittenango	53	46
U.F.A.	43	41
Proctor	57	68
Notre Dame	75	28
Whitesboro	58	43
New Hartford	51	36
U.F.A.	50	47
Liverpool	80	47
Auburn	52	33
Proctor	65	57

JV Basketball

		RFA
Chittenango	20	38
U.F.A.	24	25
Proctor	25	39
Notre Dame	63	30
Whitesboro	20	22
New Hartford	45	47
U.F.A.	29	33
Liverpool	44	33
Auburn	25	29
Proctor	24	37

Front: Stephanie Luke, Jeannine McEwen, Gina Grasso, Chris Vescio, Verna Clarke. *Back:* Coach Linda Wilkinson, Darlene Carney, Sharon Kahler, Donna Fusco, Deanne Reighn, Diana Donai, Val Noone, Lisa Trophia, Laura Mead, Stacey Kline.

Varsity Hockey

Front: Brent Holmes, Mark West, Don Muttillo, Steve Jones, Jim Bielby, Mark Bailey, Joe Ferrare, Tim Clark, Mark Gualtieri. *Back:* Mickey Jones, Mark Blocher, John Miller, Ned Dowd, Dave Wedlock, Rick Machanic, Dan Zanon, Tom Perry, Ross Bartell, Coach Meiss.

		RFA
Oswego	1	1
Auburn	1	4
West Genesee	3	4
Ithaca	3	2
Albany	3	10
Oswego	3	2
Liverpool	1	4
Liverpool	1	4
Clinton	3	5
Auburn	0	7
Skaneateles	2	7
Ithaca	2	1
Skaneateles	9	6
West Genesee	2	8
Albany	0	3
Clinton	5	7
Saranac Lake	1	7
Salmon River	2	3
West Genesee	0	5
Clinton	3	4
Oswego	2	3

Swimming

Kneeling: Gary Sauer. *Row 1:* Jeff Adair, Kirk Cadrette, Jim Perkins, Bill Falk, Anthony Siarcawitz. *Row 2:* Jim Bidwell, Bill McCormick, Joe Hojackni, John Gallager, Jim Orr, Ken Irvin, Dusty Rowland, Brian Beemen. *Row 3:* Randy Cosimeno, Jim Hyde, Jeff Netzinger, Jeff McFadden. *Row 4:* Joel Guy, Roger Potocki, Rusty Martin, Mike Bath, Mike Cockerham, Alan Davis. Team Coach: Mr. Gigliotti. Diving Coach: Mr. Kunkel.

Varsity Wrestling

Front: Dave Gratch, John Balog, Brian Mazzafero, John Castro, Mike Polce, Chuck Balog. *Back:* Bill DeCarolis, Paul Olney, Tony Tardugno, Mark Pick, Chris Plumley, Harry Elver, Jeff Herber. Coach: Mr. James Rafferty.

Brian Mazzafero
Steve Swancott

JV Wrestling

Front: Tony Cimo, Mark Edick, Joe Hardin, Frank Martinelli. *Back:* Pat Hetherington, Don Darcangelo, Paul Darcangelo, Steve Swancott, Jim Chance, Mike Thomas, Andy Decarolis. Coach: Mr. Charles Clifford.

Front: Cindy Nasetka, Bonnie Ryan, Mary Ann Conover, Joyce Jalynski, Carrie Ventura, Vicki Lodge. *Middle:* Susan McDonough, Melanie Jones, LuAnn D'Amore, Tina Cidzik, Ann Marie Lovett, Mary Ruth Coote. *Back:* Diane Clark, Dawn Havens, Dawn Hughes, Laura Chilkotowsky, Val Yourdon. *Absent:* Terri Grimm, Missy Young, Linda Quail.

Record 18-0
Co-Captains: Terry Grimm, Diane Clark Coach: Mrs. Martha Bilton

Sectional Team: Terry Grimm, Mary Coote, LuAnn D'More, Tina Cidzik, Anne Marie Lovett.

		RFA
Oneida	0	11
U.F.A.	2	11
Proctor	1	18
J.F.K.	2	17
Chittenango	1.5	17.5
Notre Dame	3.5	15.5
Whitesboro	3	16
J.F.K.	8	11
New Hartford	2.5	16.5
V.V.S.	1	18
U.F.A.	1	18
Chittenango	1	18
Proctor	5	14
Camden	4	7
Notre Dame	6	13
Whitesboro	5	14
V.V.S.	2	17
New Hartford	0	19

Bowling

Record 14-6 C.O.L. 7-3
Coach: Mr. Richard Dorsino

		RFA
U.F.A.	3	8
J.F.K.	7	4
Proctor	3	8
E.S.M.	4	7
Notre Dame	2	9
Whitesboro	5	6
Camden	1	10
Chittenango	5	10.5
New Hartford	11	0
V.V.S.	7	4
U.F.A.	6	5
E.S.M.	6	5
J.F.K.	3	8
Proctor	6	5
Camden	2	9
Notre Dame	2	9
Whitesboro	5	6
V.V.S.	5	6
Chittenango	2	9
New Hartford	4	7

Front: Joe Fiorenza, Vin Fiorenza. *Middle:* Chris Troutman, Dan Berry, Mike Carro. *Back:* Chuck Grimm, Pete Winfrey, Mike Agnone. *Absent:* Mike Nicotera, Pete Merchant, Dan Voelker, Bob Bialobreski.

Front: Darleen Carney, Antionette Pacicca, Nanette DeFrancesco. *Back:* Teresa Colucci, Kelly Dolan.

Tennis

		RFA
Cazenovia	4	1
Auburn	4	1
Auburn	4	4
U.F.A.	1	4
U.F.A.	1	4
Proctor	1	4
Watertown	2	3
Fulton	0	5
Notre Dame	1	4
Notre Dame	0	5
Whitesboro	2	3
Whitesboro	2	3
E.S.M.	1	4
New Hartford	3	2
New Hartford	4	1
Liverpool	3	2

Record 11-5
C.O.L. Record 8-2
Second Place
Section III Regionals
Nancy Jones and Nanette DeFrancesco—Section III Finals
Coach: Miss Ruth Demers

Gymnastics

Front: Laurie Militello, Marcia Smith, Andy Wilson, Laura Fox, Susie Morgan, Donna Fox, Kathy Wood, Shari Diamond, Judy Cotroneo. *Back:* Miss Vercryusse, Coach; Linda Hoehn, Widget Wilson, Mary Welker, Shim, Kellie Walsh, Tracey Vandeveer, Julie Daniello.

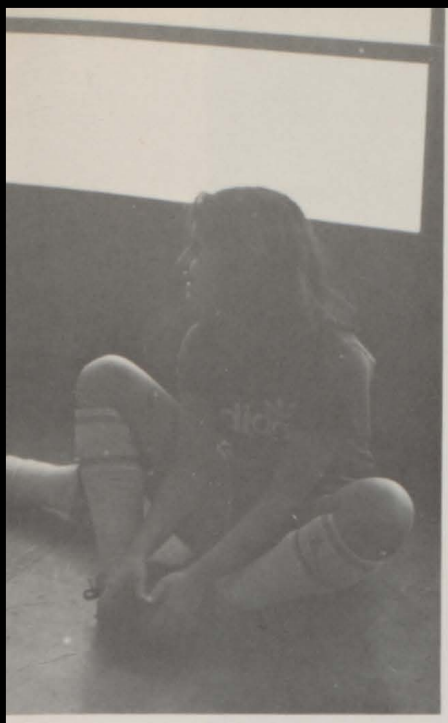
Fulton	105.40	104.90
Liverpool	99.75	108.90
Jamesville Dewitt	111.00	95.15
New Hartford	113.55	109.85
Little Falls	85.70	101.80
Ilion	61.65	66.00
Baldwinsville	113.20	105.00
West Canada	23.30	77.00
Fayetteville-Manlius	96.55	93.10
New Hartford	104.99	96.84
West Genesee	81.53	95.56
Auburn	89.89	98.61
Watertown	94.00	102.10
E.S.M.	86.70	95.90
Oswego	89.90	102.10
Watertown	107.52	94.99

Front: Dick Ferrucci, Dave Vieneau, Tom Bailey, Jose Valez, David Chmielewski, Clifton Turner, Stanley Duquette. *Row 2:* Dale Trexler, Spero Haritatos, Willie Timmons, Mark Sutherland, John Nicholson. *Row 3:* Cheri Christy, Todd Marshall, Mike Badolotto, Tom Lane, Jim Swerry, Joy Valentine. *Back:* Joel Amidon, Chris Burke, Mark Frasca, Richard Coriale, Rick Lane, Joe Bigalow.

Indoor Track

Richard Lucas
Coach Adey

Front: Ed Lince, Reggie Cyrus, Doug Turner, Richard Barnett, Frank Malace, Stanley Lucas. *Row 2:* Dion Dittimus, Billy Carter, Howey Brittian, Sebastian Domenico, Jeff Delutis. *Row 3:* Geselle Dematteo, Francine Aiello, Leslie Prossner, Scottie Parsons, Farah Mason, Dean Rivera. *Back:* Jamie Pomilio, Debbie Palaka, Cathy Campbell, Patty Coughlin, Jackie Chmielewski, Kim Loson, Linda Northup.



Front: Steve Pritchard, Eric Philips. *Middle:* Bruce Entelisano, Jim Pekarski, Don Geary. *Back:* David Fiore, John Grogan.

JV Hockey

Jim Peterson

Varsity Swimming

Front: Jean Welker, Deanna Christa, Marianne Marquette. *Row 2:* Danielle Clarke, Kim Nosel, Julie Smith, Cindy Vetrone, Heather Kahler. *Row 3:* Barb Dahn, Karen King, Joan Welker, Carol Miller. *Back:* Deanna DeFrancesco, Kathy Kalin, Kerri Dolan, Tracy Chamberlin, Joann Finn.

Front: Teresa Colucci, Tammy Agans, Sue Palinski, Mickey Eychner, Jeanine Petell, Mary Ann Marquette. *Middle:* Margaret Rondinelli, Jill Nicholson, Tary Vanderpool, Lisa Grago, Kathy Ehrenfried, Norma Young. *Back:* Coach Pat Cullen, Leslie Prossner, Sandy Burke, Lori Cianfrocco.

Varsity Softball

Central Oneida League 1979—Second place
Record 17-4

		RFA
Watertown	3	17
Corcoran	8	16
Utica Free Academy	4	15
Proctor	0	17
Notre Dame	1	16
Liverpool	12	8
New Hartford	4	6
Whitesboro	0	28
Utica Free Academy	2	0
Proctor	3	10
Lowville	8	27
Cazenovia	6	13
Notre Dame	4	21
Whitesboro	1	10
New Hartford	2	3
East Syracuse—Minoa	2	12
Auburn	7	12
Utica Free Academy	3	2
Baldwinsville	3	6
Utica Free Academy	2	5
Cicero	10	9

C.O.L. All-Stars
Infield: Marijill Nicholson
Leslie Prossner
Tary Vanderpool
Outfield: Sandy Burke
Most Valuable Player—Sandy Burke
Most Improved Player—Tammy Agans

JV Softball

Record 9-0

		RFA	
Watertown	1	22	
Mexico	0	32	
V.V.S.	9	21	
Notre Dame	4	36	
Cazenovia	0	18	Cazenovia Tourney
Lowville	3	21	RFA First Place
Mexico	0	23	
Whitesboro	1	13	
Auburn	7	15	

Front: Lisa Grago, Laurie Van Slyke, Lisa Cardona, Diana Donai, Gina Grasso, Jeannine McEwen. *Back:* Nancy McClintock, Sue Orr, Jackie Chmielewski, Miss Wilkinson, Coach; Kathy Perry, Holly Steagall, Val Noone, LuAnne D'Amore.

Front: Mark Capponi, Albert Guggi, Mickey Jones, Ron Bertrand. *Back:* Gary Skwarek, Tim Filliponi.

Varsity Baseball

Record 15-6 Champions Central Oneida League Semi Finalists Section III

JFK	1	9
JFK	7	3
Ilion	4	6
Ilion	0	9
Bishop Ludden	6	4
U.F.A.	0	3
Proctor	2	3
Notre Dame	4	0
Auburn	0	3
Whitesboro	0	2
New Hartford	11	2
U.F.A.	4	7
Bishop Ludden	7	14
Proctor	2	4
Notre Dame	6	8
Holland Patent	1	3
Whitesboro	0	6
North Syracuse	4	6
Corcoran	4	3
New Hartford	11	8
Notre Dame	1	4

Captains: John K. Ciccotti, Greg Voci, Frank Parsons

Black "R" Winner for outstanding achievement—Greg Voci

Charles Edkins Award for Most Valuable Player—Frank Parsons

Central Oneida League All-Stars: Frank Parsons, Greg Voci, John K. Ciccotti, Robert Linn, and Ron Bertrand.

Exceptional League Seniors: Dan Bates, John K. Ciccotti, Greg Voci, Frank Parsons, Robert Linn

Trainer: Ozzie Newsome
Assistant Coach Fiore Decosty
Coach—Joe Skwarek

Frank Parsons

Frank Parsons, a member of the class of 1979, passed away December 1979 in a car accident. He was captain and pitcher for the RFA Varsity Baseball team and had a batting average of .486 with 6 wins and 2 losses. Among his achievements he pitched a no hitter against Whitesboro, was first team Central Oneida League All-Star, a member of the COL Exceptional Senior team, and won the Charles Edkins award.

Frank gave SPIRIT to his team, COURAGE in competition and extraordinary EFFORT to baseball. Seemingly without temperament or ego, he went about his business, day in day out, hitting line drives, winning ball games, never complaining and always smiling. We would like to dedicate the 1980 Baseball season to Frank.

1979 Spring Track

Section III Champs

Front: Tom Brown, Eric Decker, Tony Mitchell, Frank Mellace, Nick Bottini, Rindall Hardison, Mark Grafasi, Karl Frankowski, Jose Valez, Donald Mull. *Row 2:* Mark Salisbury, Jeff Wilkinson, Gerald Dennis, Mark Nicholson, Caldwell Kelley, Mark Blocher, Randy Rushworth, Eric Johnson, Duane Butler. *Row 3:* Craig Moffatt, John Walsh, Willie Timmons, Ed Belden, Howie Brittain, Rich Coviale, Cliff Turner, Todd Marshall. *Row 4:* Bill Badolato, Steve Campbell, Chuck Spohn, Jim Kelly, Mark Eldred, Jim Chase, Bob Breton, Tom Lane, Mike Granberry. *Row 5:* Mark Sutherland, Rick Lane, Marty Smith, Ron Boyd, David Vienneau, Robert Gorman, Roger Nooze, Reggie Cyrus, Jim Peterson. Coach: Mr. Gigliotti.

JV Baseball

Front: Mark Blair, John Mecca, Mark Bailey, Todd Pinti, Charles Balog. *Middle:* Coach Stan Evans, Paul D'arcangelo, Frank Brognano, Chris Simons, Michael Secor, Jeff Heburn, David Rizzo. *Back:* Robert Barone, Derek Shidmore, Roger Potocki, Paul Chilhowski, Michael Thompson, Kyle Mumpton.

Girls Spring Track

Front: Linda Northrup, Debbie Palaka, Velda Clark, Patty Coughlin. *Middle:* Jean Welker, Julie Hughes, Kathy Voelcker, Geselle DeMatteo. *Back:* Jeanette Pietras, Kecia Henderson, Lisa Grasso, Farah Mason. The team was coached by Miss Sue Gardner and Miss Barb Smith.

Front: Brett Holmes, Mike Bartlett, Brian Howard. *Row 2:* Bob James, Bill Fleck, Ross Bartell. *Row 3:* Tim Houser, Mark Premo, Mike Lacey. *Row 4:* Mike Smith, Mark Semo. *Back:* David Zmudosky Team Coach: Mr. Meiss

Varsity Lacrosse

1979 Record 3-15

		RFA
Nottingham	15	1
General Brown	6	7
C.B.A.	11	4
Henninger	10	5
Watertown	9	3
Bishop Ludden	21	1
Auburn	14	1
Whitesboro	7	8
I.H.C.	12	7
Nottingham	8	4
General Brown	3	8
C.B.A.	15	3
Henninger	11	3
Watertown	9	5
Bishop Ludden	14	2
Auburn	11	2
Whitesboro	9	8
I.H.C.	17	6

JV Lacrosse

1979 Record 2-16

		RFA
Nottingham	3	2
C.B.A.	4	1
Henninger	8	0
Watertown	11	4
Bishop Ludden	7	0
Auburn	9	1
Whitesboro	5	4
I.H.C.	9	2
Nottingham	11	2
General Brown	2	4
C.B.A.	9	4
Henninger	11	2
Watertown	3	1
Bishop Ludden	12	3
Auburn	9	2
Whitesboro	4	6
I.H.C.	14	3
General Brown	9	4

Front: Galen Nephew, Eric Brantingham, Mark West, Jack Sykes. *Row 2:* Andre Bertrand, Kevin Russell, John Van Slyke, Mark Gualtieri, Joe Bigalow. *Row 3:* Curt Dewey, Scott Stephan, Norman Babcock, Jim Pekarski. *Row 4:* John Grogan, Sheldon Hardison, Brett Fields, Joey Ciaccia, David Sasenbach. *Row 5:* Scott Boylston, Bob Bialobreski, Joe Kelly. Coach: Mr. Warwick

The XIII Winter Olympics were held in Lake Placid, New York, a small town a few hours away from Rome. Many students were lucky enough to have tickets to the various events in the Adirondacks. These people had an unforgettable experience and witnessed Eric Heiden collect medal after medal and saw the U.S. Hockey team battle for their first gold medal in 20 years.

Our mid-winter vacation coincided with the Olympics, giving students the time to see the games in person. Night after night everyone else sat in front of the television, elated as Eric Heiden won all five gold medals in speed skating. The other U.S. athletes captured our attention as the hockey team upset the U.S.S.R. and won the gold medal. Linda Fratianne won a silver in women's singles figure skating. Charlie Tickner won a bronze in men's single figure skating. Beth Heiden won a bronze in the women's 3,000 meter speed skating. Leah Paulos Mueller won a silver in the women's 500 meter and 1000 meter speed skating contest. Phil Mahre won a silver medal in the men's slalom. Tai Babilonia and Randy Gardner, our hopes for a gold medal in pairs figure skating, had to withdraw when Randy was injured during a warmup.

The achievements of these people made us feel good about the U.S. again during a time when we had problems of Americans being held as hostages in Iran, Afghanistan being tormented by a Soviet invasion, and a possible return of the draft for men and women. They made us realize that we still are a proud, ambitious people who can achieve anything we want.

Margaret Hopkins

1980 Winter Olympics

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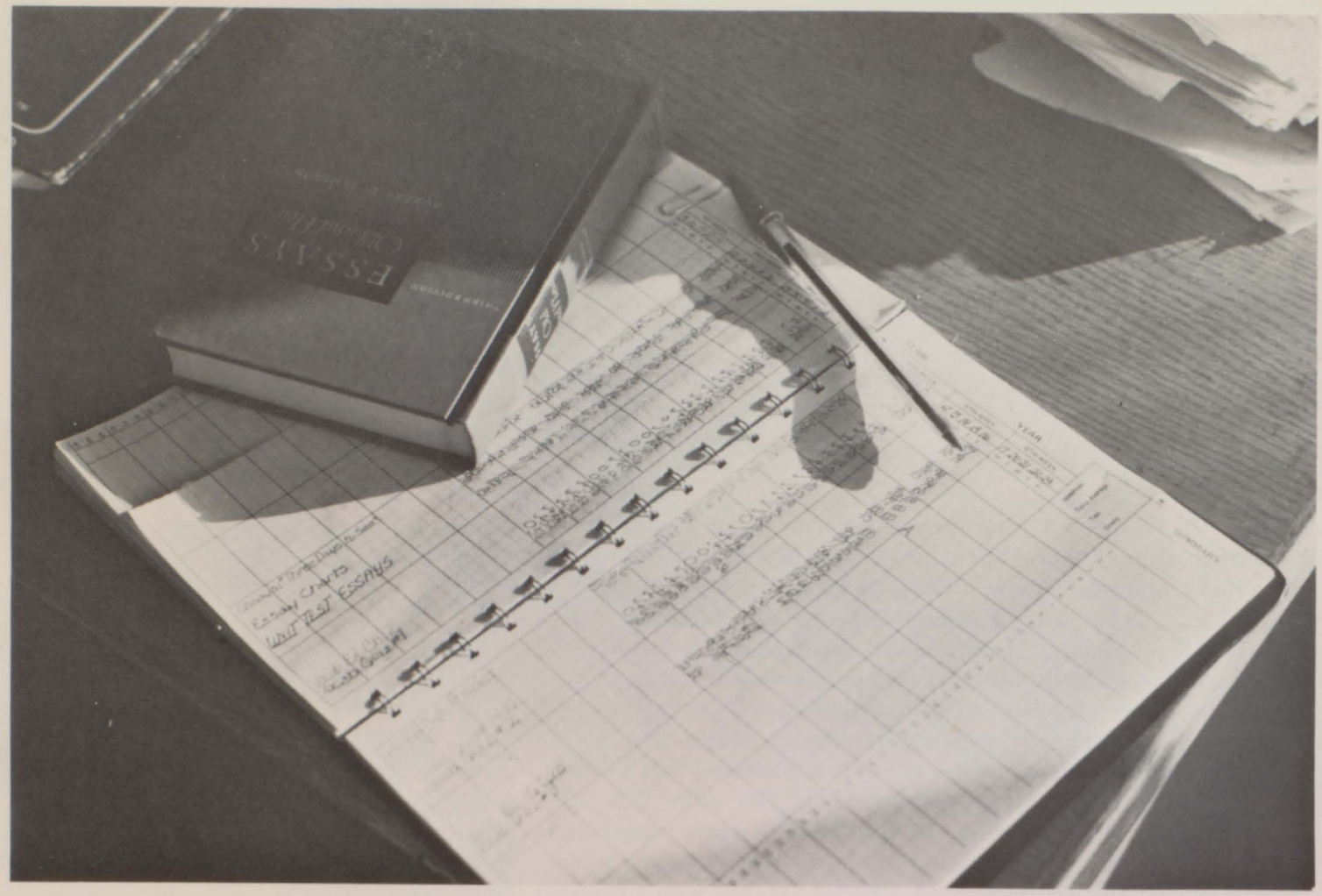

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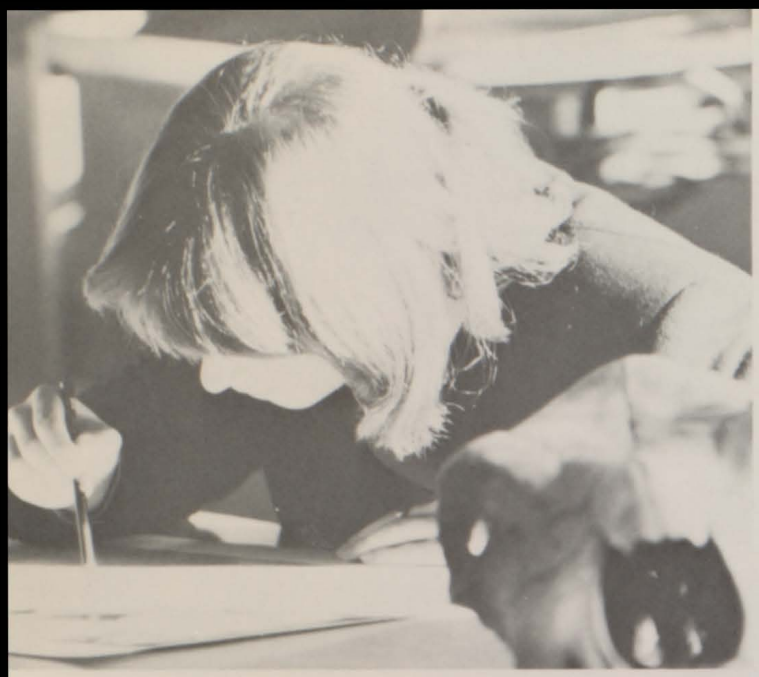
If you think you dare not, you don't.
If you'd like to win, but think you can't,
It's almost a cinch you won't.

If you think you'll lose, you're lost.
For out in the world we find
Success begins with a fellow's will.
It's all in the state of mind.

If you think you're outclassed, you are.
You've got to think high to rise.
You've got to be sure of yourself before
You can ever win a prize.

Life's battles don't always go
To the stronger or faster man,
But soon or late, the man who wins,
Is the man who thinks he can.

Walter D. Wintle



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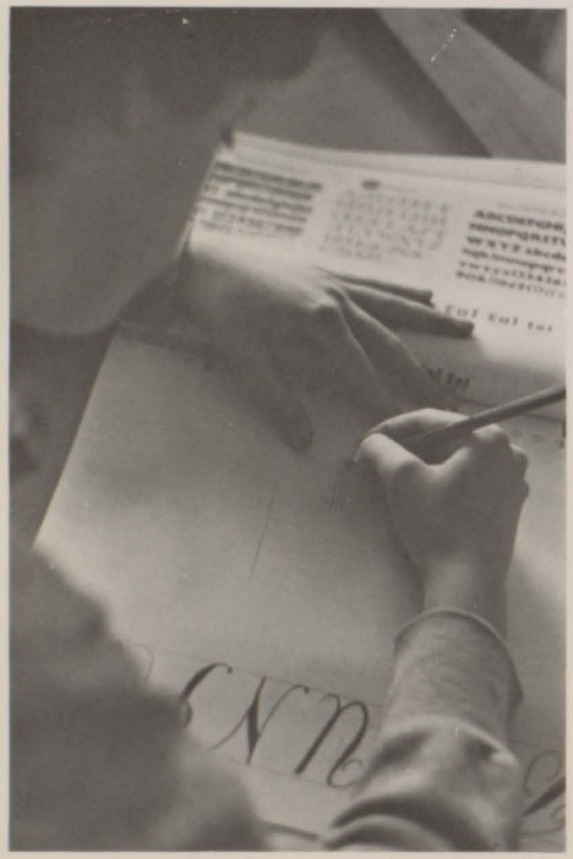

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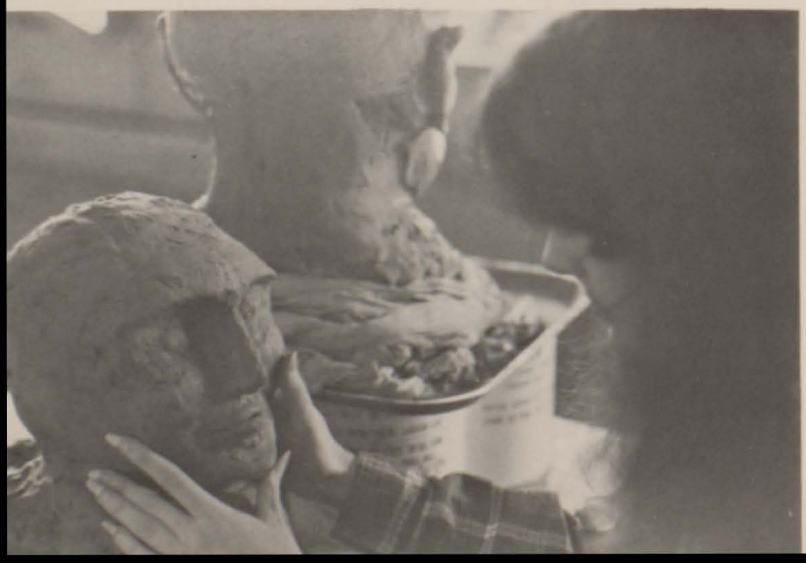

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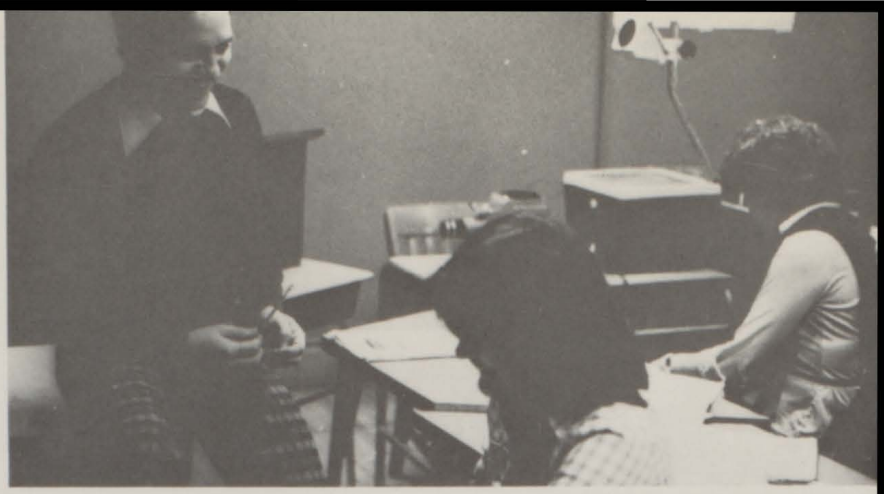
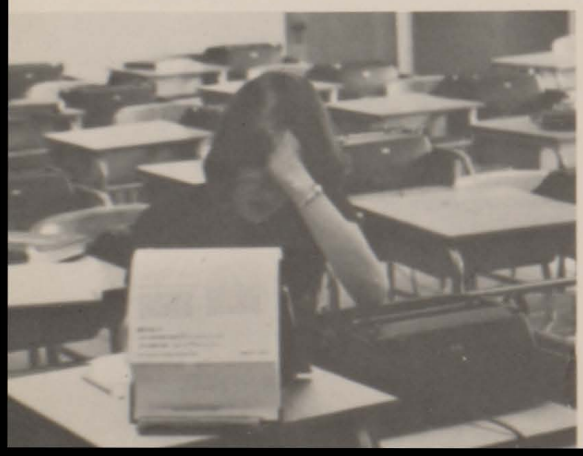


Retailing with Mr. Kenny.

Mrs. Tanny's Accounting scholars.

Mr. Adey—Consumer Education.

Business



Courses in Business include: Accounting, Advanced Accounting, Business Management, Business Arithmetic, Business Law, Shorthand 1, Shorthand 2 and Transcription, Secretarial Practice, Typewriting, Office Practice, Salesmanship, Marketing, Advanced Marketing and Retailing, Store Experience, Office Experience, Recordkeeping, and Consumer Economics.

Mr. Smaldon's Lecture Class.

Traffic and Safety Education

Courses include Classroom, Behind-the-Wheel, Supervised Observation, and Simulator instruction. The course uses repetitive drills necessary to acquire the skills of safe driving.

English

English electives include literature and writing courses in American Classics, Medieval Literature, Tragic Muse, Research, Heroes of West, Shakespeare, Lost Generation, Media Composition, Bible Literature, Drama, Man Myth and Magic, Folklore, Logic and Reason, Compassion for the Maladjusted, and Science Fiction. The English curriculum is currently being updated.

I never pose!

A lecture on making Frence toast.

Mrs. Rakowski's Reading Class.

A trip to Spain.

Foreign Languages

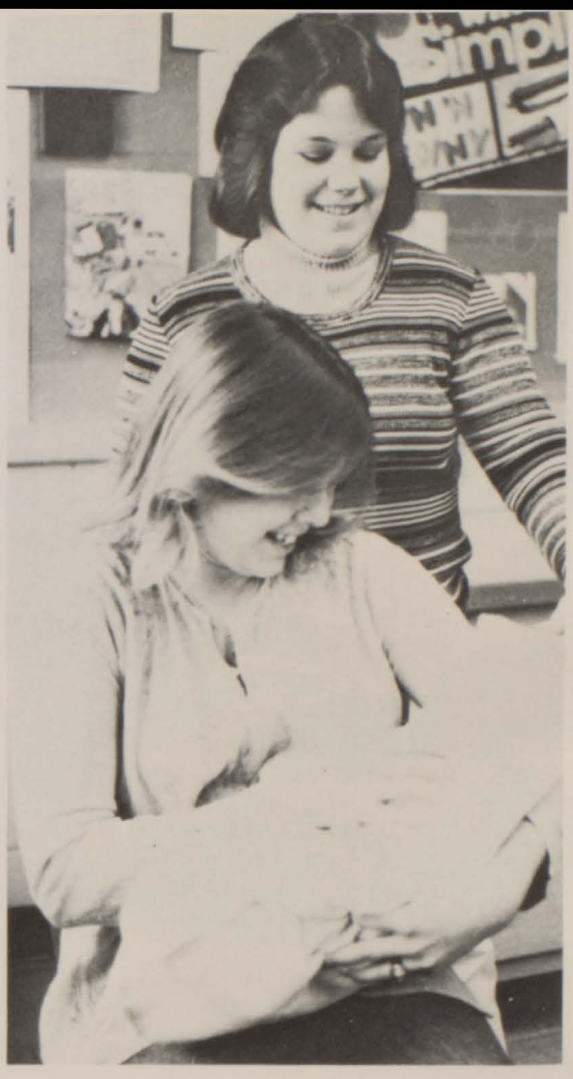
The Foreign Language department at R.F.A. offers classes in six languages. Students can take up to four years of French, Italian, Latin or Spanish, and up to three years of German or Russian.

Social Studies

The Social Studies program promotes familiarity with civil values and traditions of the past in the context of the present. Curriculum includes: European Culture Studies, American Studies, Advanced Government, Advanced Economics, Sociology, and Law.

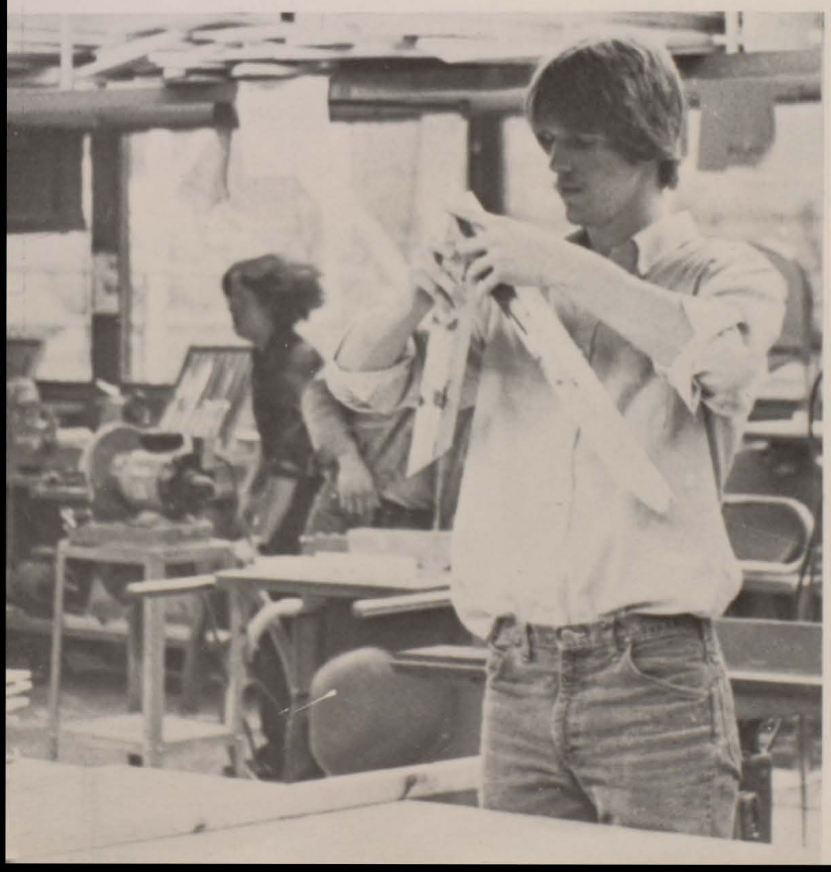
Home Economics

Courses in Home Economics: Personal and Family Management, Personal and Family Relationships, Child Development, Interior Decorating, Nutrition and Meal Management, Textiles and Clothing, Marriage and Family Living, Tailoring and Dress Design, Personality Development, Food and Hospitality.



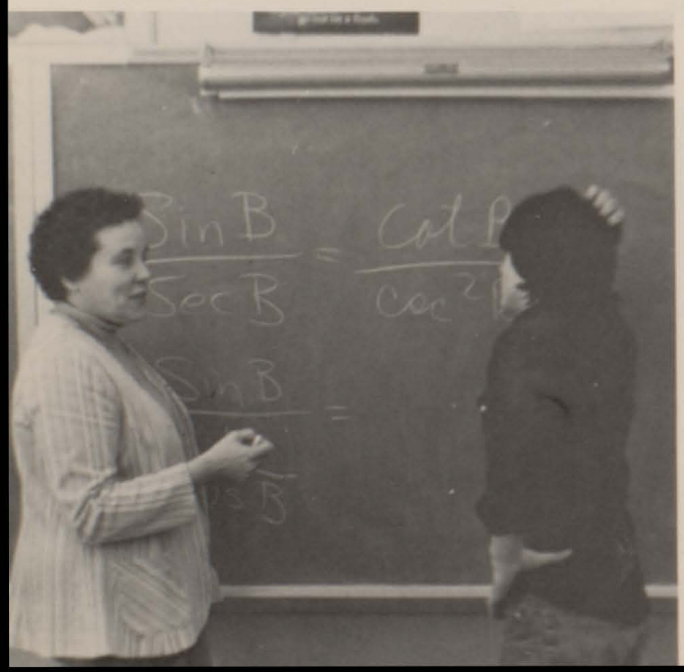
Industrial Arts

Students are offered the following courses: Machine and Welding, Transportation, Metal Fabrication, Production Metals, Wood Products, Woodworking Techonology, Advanced Woodworking, Wood Carving, Electrical Construction, Basic Electronics, Communications Electronics, Solid State Electronics, Small Engines, and Vehicle Power.

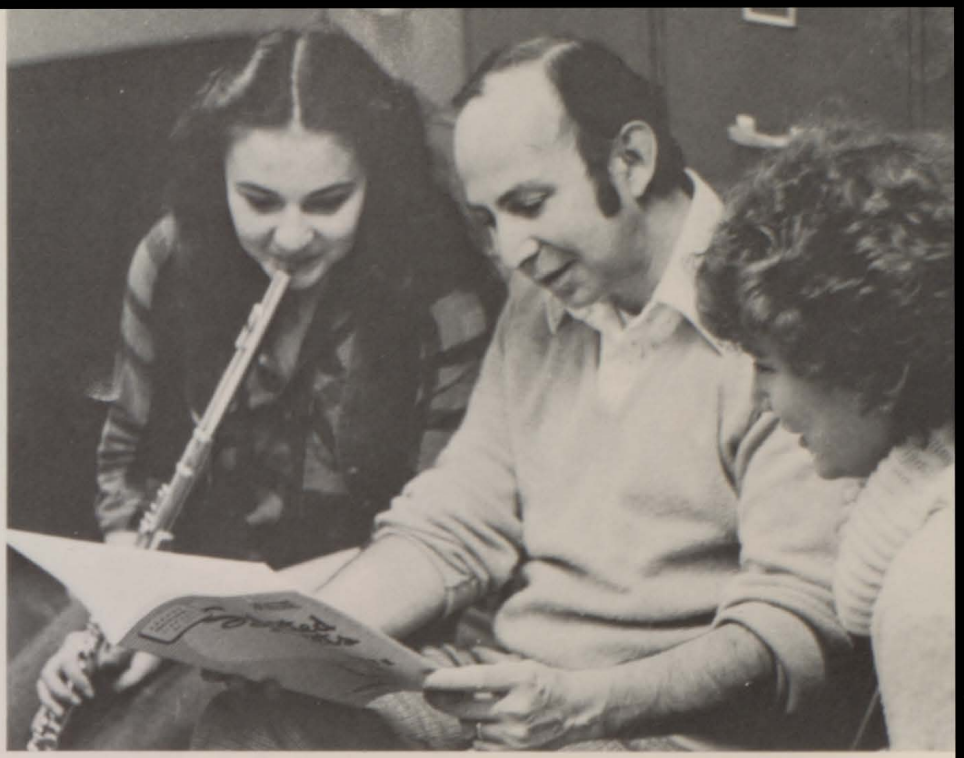


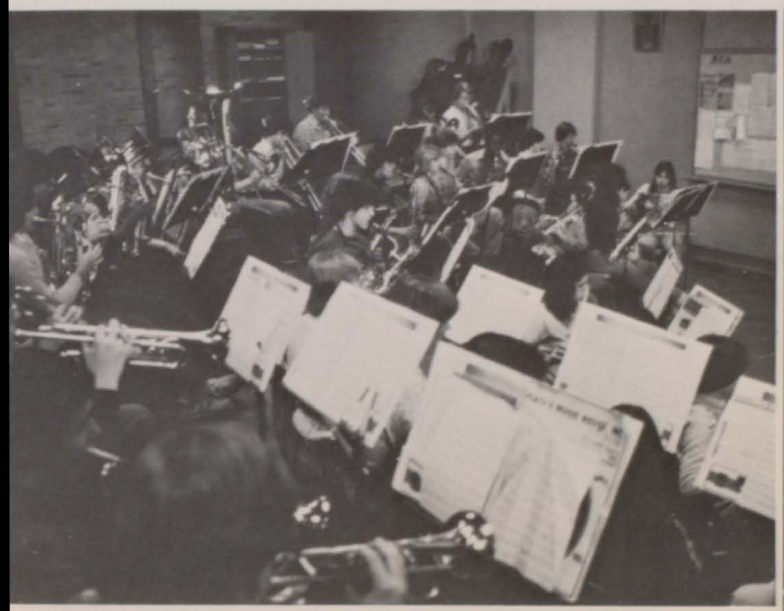
Mathematics

Math 10—plane and coordinate geometry, introduction to the use of the computer, or solid geometry and three dimensional coordinate geometry.
Math 11—algebra and trigonometry, introduction to computer programming, or numerical analysis.
Intermediate Algebra
Elementary Analysis
Introduction to Statistics
Calculus AB (Advanced Placement Mathematics)



Mrs. Austin's Resource Center

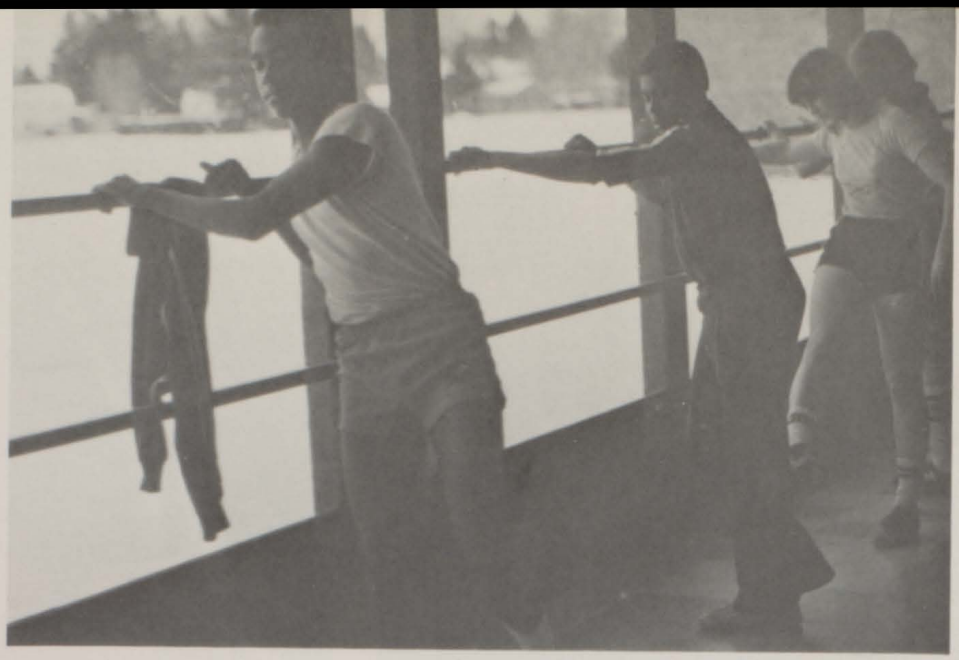




Music

The program of the music department consists of three important and specific areas of emphasis; skill development, musical knowledge and attitude development. Curriculum includes Orchestra, Wind and Percussion Ensemble, Concert Band, Marching Band, Chorus, Comprehensive Foundations of Music, Music History and Literature, and Classic Guitar.

Coach DeMatteo



Physical education consists of both gym activities and pool activities. Students may select from the following: Archery, Basketball, Bowling, Cross Country Skiing, Flag Football, Games, Golf, Handball, Lacrosse, Paddleball, Soccer, Speedball, Tennis, Volleyball, Weight Training, Boating and Water Safety, Competitive Swim Skills and Conditioning, Water Games, Badminton, Body Mechanics, Conditioning, Field Hockey, Gymnastics, Jazz Dance, Jogging-Fitness, Trampoline, Tumbling, Yoga, Snow Shoeing, Folk and Square Dancing, Life Saving, Social Dance, and Skin Diving.

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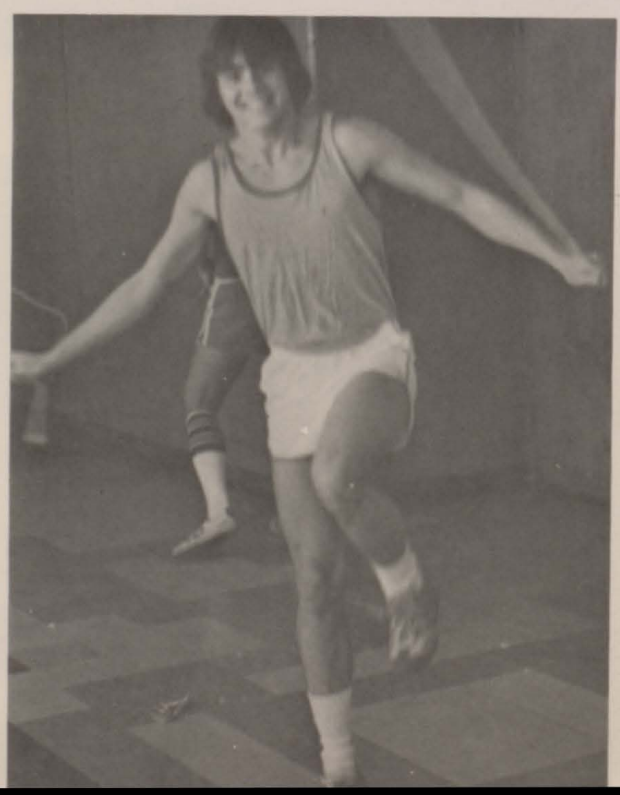

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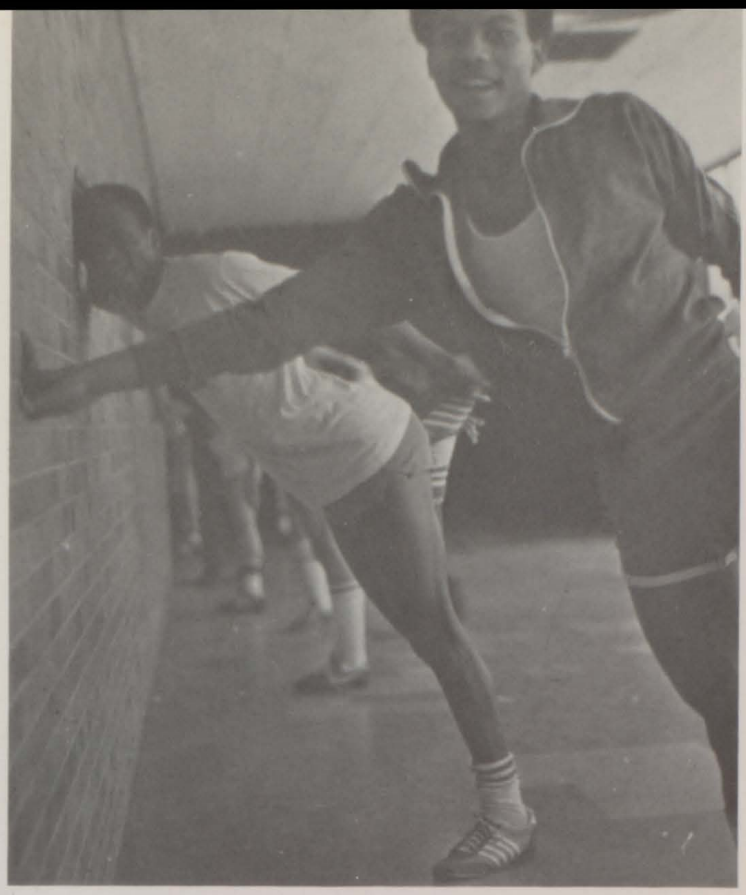

Field trip to Lake Ontario at Nine Mile Point *Front:* Cheri Christy, Joyce Schultz *Middle:* Joe Stutten, Mike Granberry, Dennis Sexton, Ben Baldanza, Alan Davis, Lauri Cappone, Mr. Uvanni. *Back:* Randy Brooke, Rick Chrysler

Science

Courses in science available to students include Biology, Achievement Biology, Earth Science, Physics, Advanced Physics, Achievement Chemistry, Chemistry, Advanced Chemistry, Physiology, Genetics, Health, Advanced Health, Mental Health, Consumer Health, First Aid, and Healthful Living in the Family.

Ms. Cianca's Mental Health Class

Move Over Rock Hudson!

Karen Cheney

Mr. Burlison's Health Class

Oh no Lincoln's missing again!

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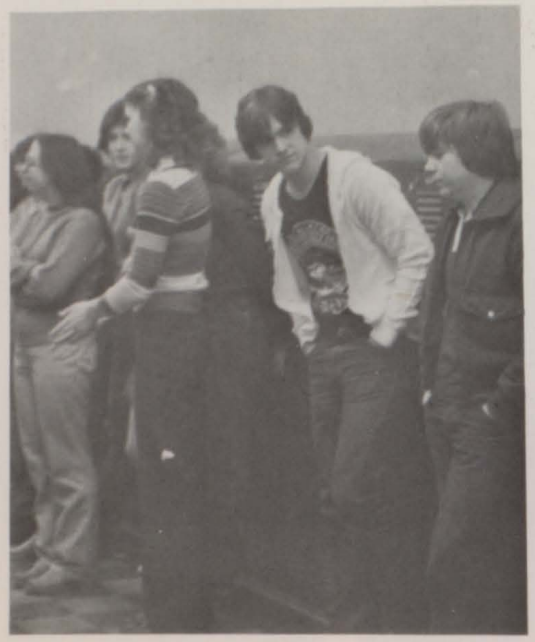

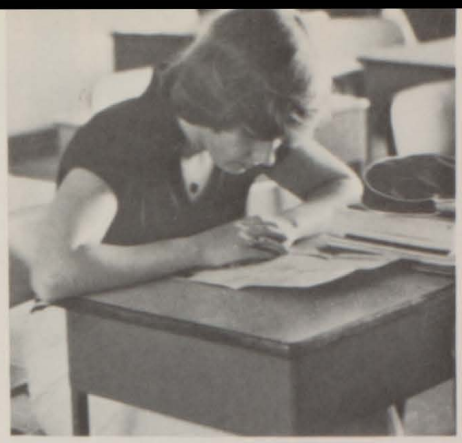

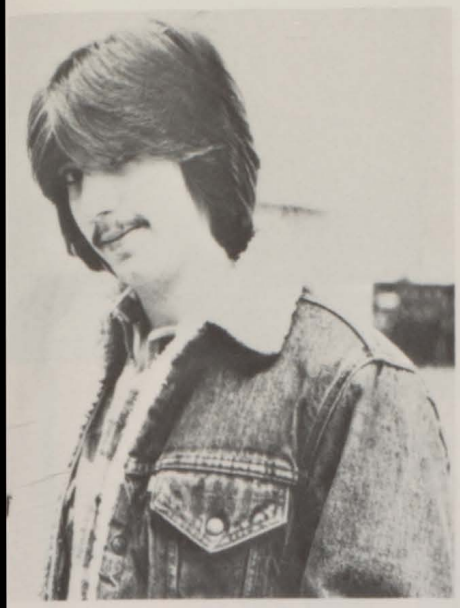

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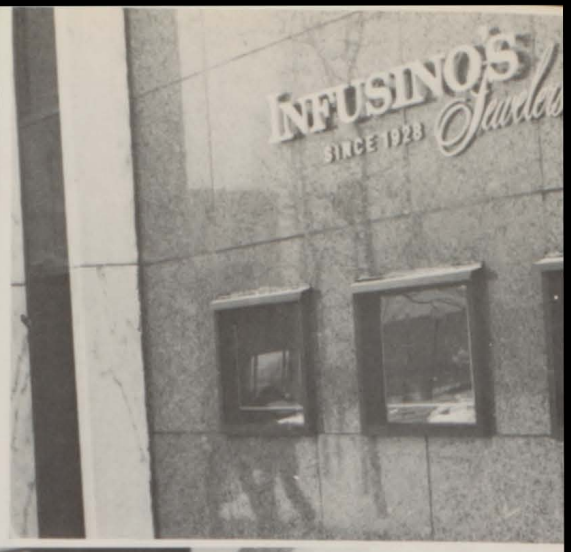
Ruth Wilson at the Corner Cupboard.



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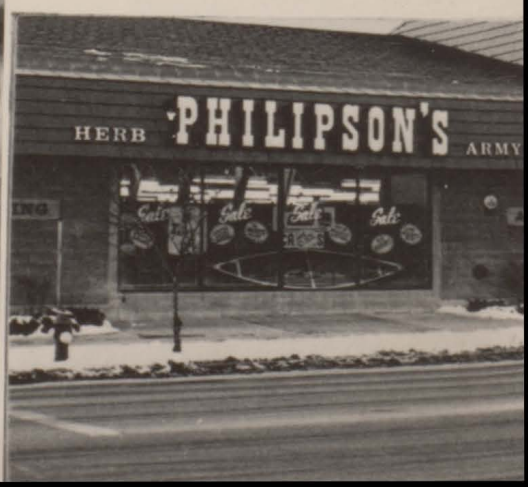

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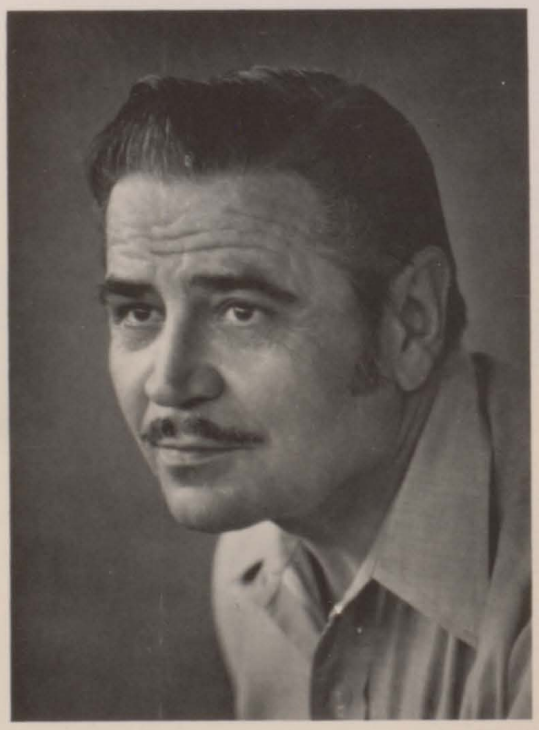

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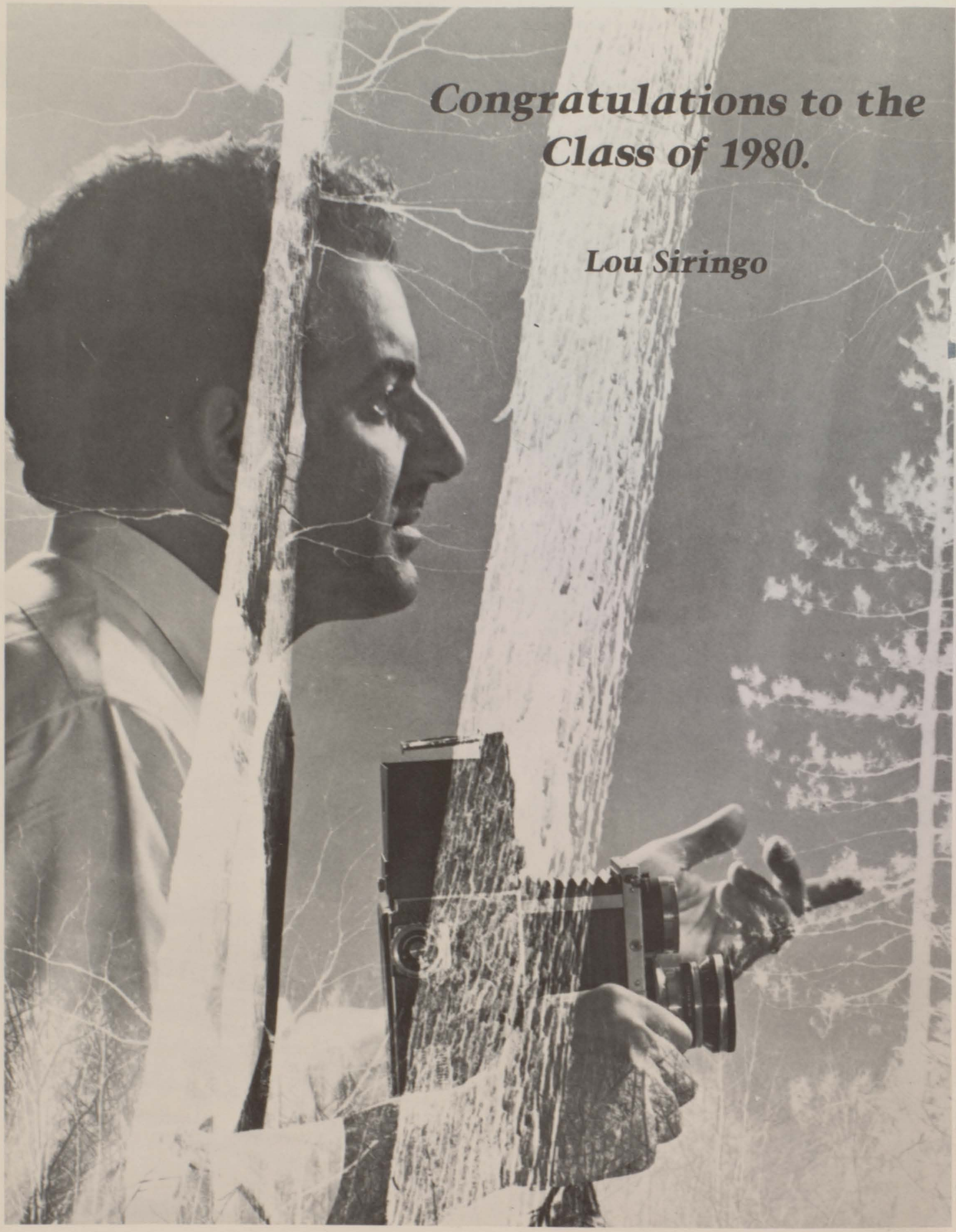
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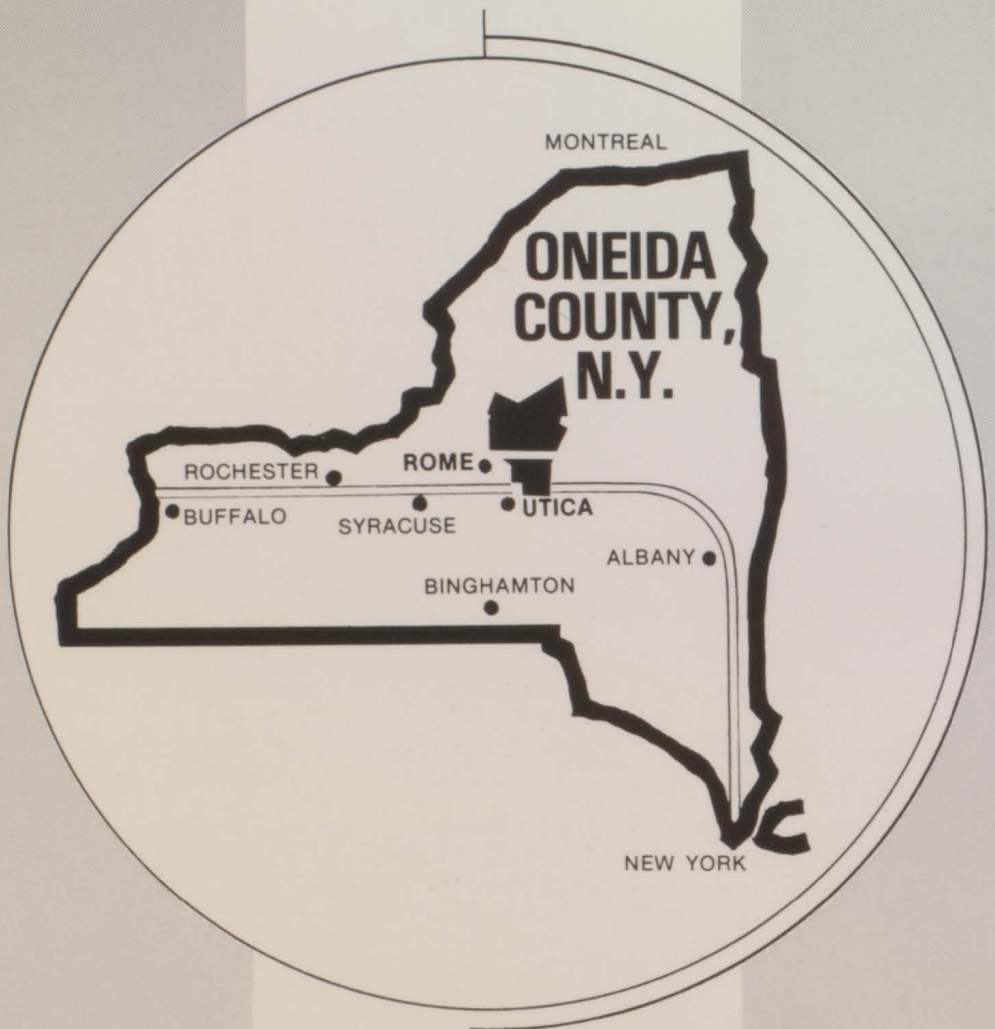

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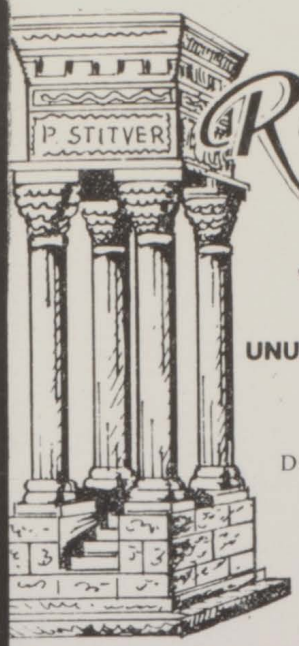

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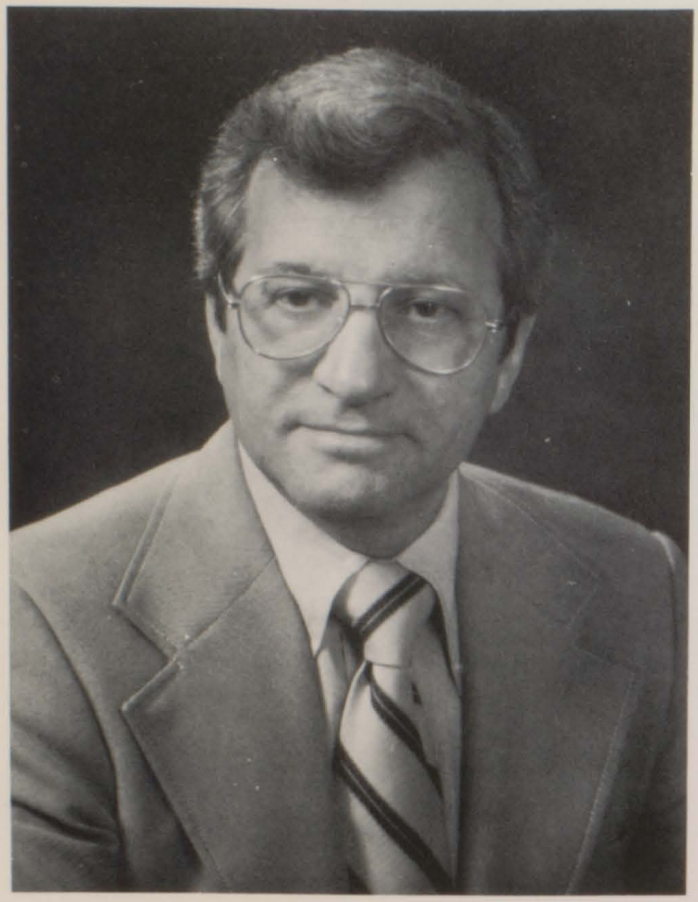

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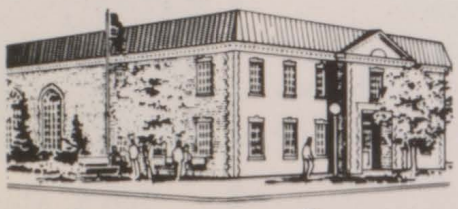

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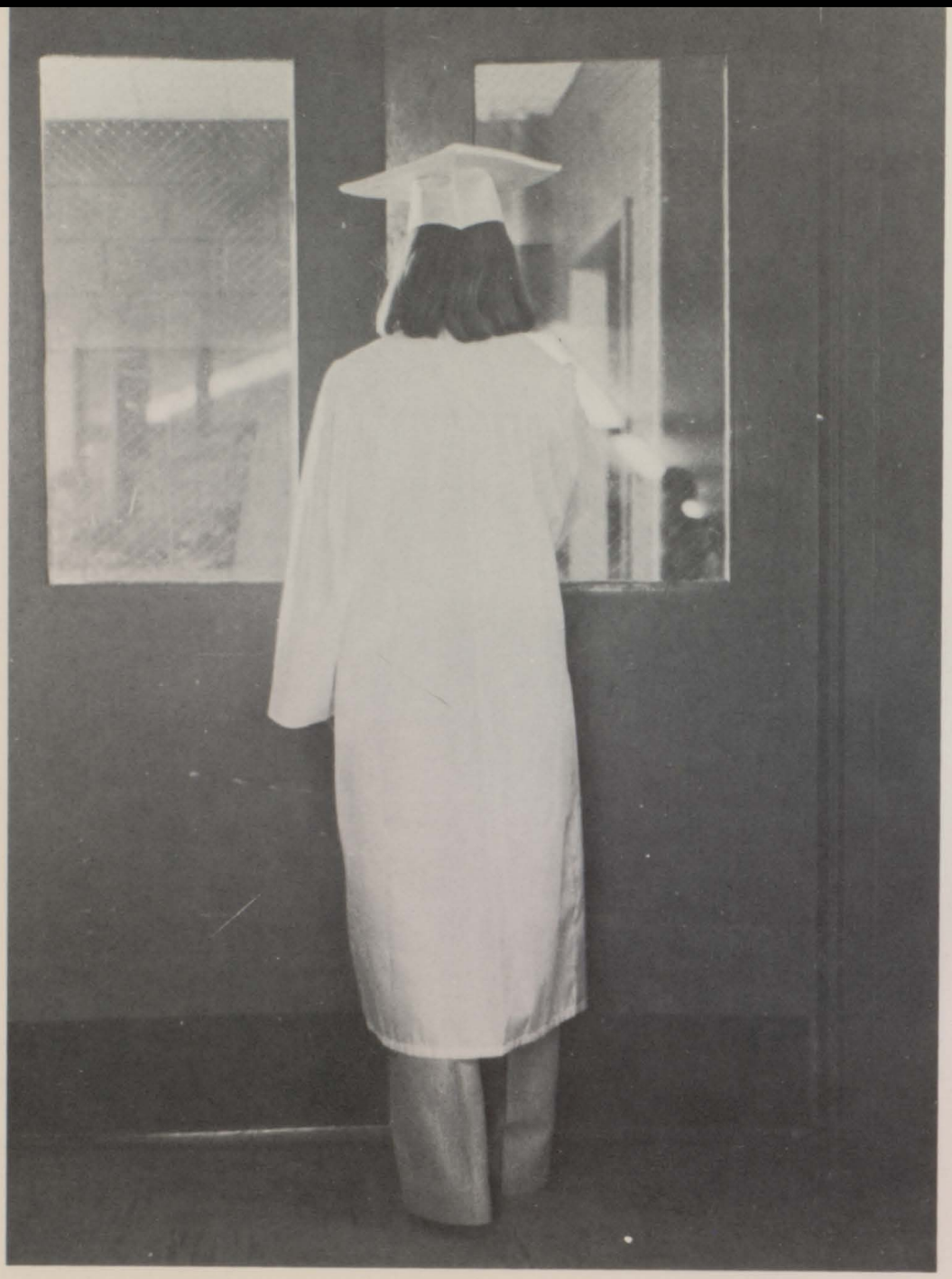

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People we know and people we knew.
Growing together then drifting apart,
Always an ending and now a new start.
At graduation we'll all grow nearer
And all of our friends seem so much dearer.
And as we say our final goodbye,
One last embrace and one more cry,
A "keep in touch" and a "promise I will"
A "remember when", but better still.
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This is what's been said as we go our own way.

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